

WALL STREET "WATER"

ALL PUT UP MONEY

To Elect an
"Honest"
Ticket

All the Corporations Were
Involved, Say Men
to Grand Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Nearly every large corporation in San Francisco contributed to the fund used at the Republican primary of 1905. I went to many of them personally to secure money. The average amount paid was \$2,500."

Fairfax Wheelan, the moving spirit in the bringing about of the fusion ticket of the last municipal campaign, made this startling confession to the Grand Jury today, under the fire of Prosecutor Francis J. Heney.

"But gentlemen," he added quickly, once the confession was out, "there was no dishonesty about that. There were no promises of any kind. The corporations were simply looking for an honest ticket. That is why they contributed to the primary fund."

"How much did you get from the Home Telephone Company?" asked Heney.

RECEIVED \$500.

"I went personally to the office of Mark Gerstle and there met Gerstle, Frick and Detweller. I told them that we needed money; I asked them for \$1,000. They gave me only \$500. I know, however, that they had already contributed \$2,000," was Mr. Wheelan's reply.

"But do you mean to say that the Home Telephone Company put up this large sum of money at a primary election without having an agreement or being assured that it would receive its franchise provided the ticket carried at the fall election?"

"I tell you there was no agreement and no understanding," returned Wheelan. "We made them no promises. We simply told all the corporations that we would see that honest candidates were nominated."

GERSTLE'S TESTIMONY.

Fairfax Wheelan's examination today and the confession he made during its progress were the direct result of the testimony on Wednesday of Mark Gerstle, president of the Home Telephone Company of San Francisco and Robert N. Frick, his law partner. Gerstle told the Grand Jury that his "corporation contributed money and went into the fight at the primary election of 1905 to see that a proper Board of Supervisors was selected, a Board of Supervisors that would prob-

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OPENING GUN IS FIRED BY ROOSEVELT'S ENEMIES

Former Senator Thurston Unspiked the Cannon and Launched a Foraker Boom.

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.—At a dinner given by the Young Republican Club of Philadelphia, John M. Thurston, former Senator from Nebraska, and friend of Senator Foraker, tonight fired the opening gun of the anti-Roosevelt forces. He was joined by Mayor John H. Reyburn of Philadelphia, former Congressman and personal friend of Senator Penrose.

Thurston's plea was for the elimination of Roosevelt and his choice for the Presidency. He declared this

country had no policy. "There is an unsettled, uneasy sentiment in the Republican party," he said, "that is seeking to outdo every socialist program of the opposition. We can't have this any more than the Socialism." Then a moment later the former Senator cried: "There should be no one man policy in this country," and then toward the close of his sensational speech, after averring that he was not a member of the \$5,000,000 anti-Roosevelt Conspiracy Club,

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NO "PLATONIC" EXCUSE WILL HELP OUT MRS. "JACK"

Absolute Divorce
Demanded by
Hubby.

Wilmersding now declares that on November 10 last she went abroad with James Coates, and on January 14

married him in the registrar's office in the district of Paddington Court, County of London. Wilmersding said his wife, though still undivorced from him, alleged herself to be a widow, and by employing such deception was

able to bring about the wedding with Coates. The complainant declares the couple are now living in London as husband and wife.

Through his attorney, Charles Conlon, Wilmersding secured from Justice McLean an order directing the serving of the summons and complaint upon Mrs. Coates by publication. He says he will prosecute his suit in New York county as soon as the technicalities are complied with. Friends of Mrs. Wilmersding said tonight that they did not know whether she would contest the suit or not.

Wilmersding and his wife were married in 1892. Coates, her new husband, is the undistinguished son of a British gentleman farmer.



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"We are inclined to be too conservative at the present time."

Wall Street Men Hold Slashing Life Struggle

NEW YORK, April 6.—Right in the heart of the financial district this afternoon half a hundred brokers and business men watched a slashing fifteen round battle between Emergency Kelly of Boston and Willie Mango, a local lightweight, who has been rapidly climbing into the top class at local bouts.

The fight was held in a loft of a new building. The city spectators of the fight paid an admission fee of \$5 each. The men fought 130 pounds and there was no side-stepping or soldiering at any stage of the battle. At the end Mango was given the decision.

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U. S. Senator Heyburn Is Near to Death

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.—United States Senator Welden Heyburn of Idaho, who arrived in this city tonight to speak at the banquet of the Young Republicans at the Bellevue-Stratford, was taken seriously ill at the hotel this afternoon. So serious did the attack appear that as a matter of precaution his wife and family were summoned to this city. Late tonight it was announced that, although confined to his room and under the care of a physician, the Senator was not fatally ill. The Senator was to have responded to the toast "The United States" at the banquet.

RICH SOCIETY GIRL SUCCUMBS TO STRANGE MALADY
Cannot Be Roused
From Fainting
Spell.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Miss Anna A. Buck, of Toledo, who was taken from the Martha Washington Hotel this morning to the New York Hospital in an unconscious condition and continued in that condition for nine hours, appears to be the victim of a most unusual malady.

The hotel management, the physicians at the hospital, and the police called in upon the case, all declared that the girl, who is a member of a wealthy family, had taken poison. At noon it was reported that she was dying. At four o'clock the hospital physicians declared that she was slowly responding to treatment.

Detectives worked hard trying to

SCHWAB TELLS OF TRUSTS

Says Each and All Are
Over-Capitalized
Just Now.

He Justifies the Condition,
but Does Not Favor
Such Financing.

By VICTOR A. WATSON.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Charles M. Schwab now adds to the controversy regarding over-capitalization which has raged throughout the country for several weeks, so far as the railroads are concerned. Declaring that he is not familiar enough with the railroad situation to discuss it in details, he goes even further and admits that most of the great industrial corporations are heavily over-capitalized.

Even that great corporation, the United States Steel Trust, which is in part a monument to his own handiwork as a trust craftsman, he declares was over-capitalized and, in a lengthy interview, he stated frankly to me his reasons for believing that over-capitalization in the past has been justified, and that it is likely to continue.

GREAT TRUSTS GAMBLED

His whole argument in a nutshell is that the promoters of great trusts have gambled on the basis that the United States is a "hell of a success," as "Uncle Joe" Cannon recently put it, and that the natural development of the country is rapid enough to catch up with the over-capitalization. In his single reference to the railroad situation, he points out that some of the stocks that are most valuable today were at the time of their issue practically worthless.

All the present protest over the over-assurance of stock will die out, he declares, and then there will be a return to the old plan.

ALL NEED THE MONEY

Despite his sanguinary utterances as to the great future of the

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Miss Buck had been a guest at the Martha Washington several times during the last five years. She always dressed well and appears to have plenty of money. She told the hotel clerks that her family is prominent in Toledo, but never left any address.

On Friday evening she stated she had purchased her railroad and sleeping tickets for Toledo and wished to be called at six o'clock in the morning. As she entered the elevator to go to her room, she said she felt ill and she fainted in the arms of a bell girl. Just as she left the elevator, Detectives worked hard trying to

find where she had secured the poison, or what might have been the cause of the supposed attempt at suicide. Telegrams were sent to Toledo, from that time until six o'clock in the morning she was unconscious.

"PROVERB HUNT" COMMENCES TODAY--SEE PAGE 26

SAYS STEEL TRUST WAS OVER-CAPITALIZED

MINERS' LOCKOUT ENDS IN GOLDFIELD, NEVADA

Greatest Excitement Follows.—Stocks Go Skyrocketing From 10 to 30 per Cent; Repeat Mohawk Days.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., April 6.—The miners' lockout is over. This afternoon a meeting of the entire membership of the Industrial Workers of the World, including the miners, voted by a decided majority to withdraw from the Workers and organize as a branch of the Western Federation. This vote was reported to the miners and a meeting of the executive committee was held immediately to draft the contract stipulating terms for three years.

This is the strongest feature of the settlement, as heretofore there has been no time agreement and the district has been kept in constant turmoil through demands and complaint of individuals that frequently resulted in complete suspension of work in the district. There is no change in their

hours or wages, and at the annual meeting of the Industrial Workers the Goldfield local will make formal application for withdrawal from the national body. Locally the miners had dissociated themselves completely.

The greatest excitement followed the announcement, which, although expected, sent the market from ten to thirty per cent. As a rule there is no meeting of the stock exchange Saturday night, but special curb sales were organized and the sales can into a volume that has not been equaled since the all-night trading of Mohawk week. It is estimated that the trading on tonight's curb will not fall short of \$150,000, the transactions in Jumbo Extension alone representing fully \$40,000.

MAINTENANCE OF PEACE IN CENTRAL AMERICA

Conference at the State Department Looks as if This Would Be the Result.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—An important conference took place at the state department today between Assistant Secretary Bacon, Ambassador Creel of Mexico and Minister Calve of Costa Rica, Minister Mojia of Salvador and Minister Toledo Herrere of Guatemala.

It is believed it was for the purpose of canvassing the prospects for reaching an agreement along the lines suggested by President Cárdenas of Guatemala, providing for a guarantee by

the United States for the faithful execution of a peace pact in Central America.

At the close of the conference, which lasted three hours, it was stated by one of the participants that substantial progress was being made toward reaching an agreement that would insure the maintenance of peace in Central America. A conclusion, however, he said, has not yet been reached, and it would be impossible to discuss publicly the details of the exchanges that are taking place.

JUSTICE IMPOSES HEAVY FINE ON GREAT NORTHERN

Jury Finds Railroad Company Guilty of Giving Freight Concessions for Pacific Coast Grain Shipments.

ST. PAUL, April 6.—The Great Northern Railroad Company was fined \$1,000 on each of fifteen counts today on the charge of giving freight concessions on grain shipments to the Pacific Coast. The case was called the jury selected the addresses to the jury made, the charge of the court delivered, the verdict returned and the penalty imposed within three hours. The Great Northern stipulated the

facts charged in fifteen counts of the indictment were true and the jury found a verdict of guilty. Judge Moran then imposed the minimum fine of \$1,000 a count with the understanding that it would in no way be considered a precedent in other pending cases against the defendant.

Rome G. Brown, for the defendant, stated that an appeal would be prepared and the bond filed early in the week.

CARTAGENA TO GREET ALFONSO

ITALY PAYS BACK CHURCH

Elaborate Reception Will Be Tendered King and Royal Visitors.

CARTEGENA, Spain, April 6.—Preparations for the reception of the royal visitors have been made on a magnificent scale. King Alfonso will reach here Monday morning, immediately before the arrival here of King Edward and Queen Alexandria.

The visit of the latter will be of very short duration, owing to King Alfonso's anxiety concerning the condition of Queen Victoria, whose accouchement is expected shortly.

\$1,000,000 Handed Over to Vatican for Property Confiscated in 1870.

ROME, April 6.—The newspapers comment with great satisfaction on the action of the government in handing over to the Vatican \$1,000,000 in payment for religious houses confiscated in 1870.

This restoration and the thanks of the Pope to the Italian government are held to indicate that a new era in the relations between the church and state in Italy is at hand. Some of them are inclined to believe that this is the first step in an understanding which will leave the Pope no longer "the prisoner of the Vatican."

QUEER HAPPENINGS OF THE LIVING AND STRANGE OCCURRENCE AT FUNERAL

Fire Caused a Paralyzed Woman to Both Walk and Talk.

NEW YORK, April 6.—For six months Mrs. Mary Mueter has been unable to move and unable to talk because of a paralytic stroke. She moved and cried aloud today when death, in the shape of fire reached her, but the effort was made too late. Those who heard her cries for help found her burned to a crisp in the hallway outside her rooms on the second floor of her home.

Caught Flirting With Corset Under His Coat by His Wife.

ST. LOUIS, April 6.—When Mrs. George Wright saw her husband in a park with a young woman, his arm encircling his companion's waist, she rebuked him angrily, and he arose to protest. And as he did so a woman's corset tumbled from his inside pocket and he had to stop to pick it up. He had bought a phonograph and put on three hymns, "Rock of Ages," "Lead, Kindly Light," and "Nearer My God to Thee." In his will he requested that the phonograph run off these records at his funeral services.

Sang at His Own Funeral by Means of a Phonograph.

DETROIT, Mich., April 6.—At the funeral of Pentwater today of Alexander Bridgeman, the deceased himself sang through a phonograph. Bridgeman was a country church member, and before he died bought a phonograph and put on three hymns, "Rock of Ages," "Lead, Kindly Light," and "Nearer My God to Thee." In his will he requested that the phonograph run off these records at his funeral services.

HARRY THAW WHISTLES AND SINGS IN PRISON

COUNTS DAYS TO FREEDOM

Accused, With Loyal Little Wife, May Tour Africa or Italy.

NEW YORK, April 6.—A singing, whistling, jubilant prisoner, in murderer's row at the Tombs today proclaimed to all who were in hearing distance the frame of mind of Harry K. Thaw. The young millionaire defendant is counting the days that stand between him and freedom, so confident is he of being acquitted before the week is out.

For two hours today little Mrs. Thaw sat outside his cell planning with her husband for the days immediately following his liberation.

RIVIERA OR AFRICA.

One story has it that they intend to go to South Africa. Another that they will seek a retired spot on the Riviera, and in a picturesque little French chateau seek to forget the hideous events of the past year. Still another rumor is that the Thaws in the event of the young man's acquittal, will not leave the country, but instead will travel about the States, visiting California, Florida or perhaps the Maine lakes. The passenger agents of the rival railroads and steamship lines may soon be struggling to capture the couple for their respective lines.

CAPTAIN OF VICTORY.

At all events the Thaws feel certain that a verdict of not guilty is sure to follow the charge of the Justices, which will in all probability be delivered to the jury on Wednesday. Certainly not later than Thursday morning.

Save for the visit of Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit and Miss William Thaw, the defendant and the confessor between the prisoner and his counsel, there was no activity in the case today. Dennis and Jerome were both busy preparing the critical fireworks that will be let off in the closing days of the trial.

DEFENSE TO REST.

In the statement which Clifford W. Hartridge gave out, some doubt was expressed as to whether the defense would call any more witnesses, but Mr. Fitzgerald, who was expressing an opinion that no more testimony is needed for Thaw, and it may be accepted as a fact that the defense will rest as soon as the report of the lunacy commission has been disposed of by the court.

ONE NIGHT.

One might argue until the crack of



HARRY K. THAW.

down on the possible verdict of the jury without reaching any definite conclusion. When the case is handed to them, they will come to the absolute decision of the situation. As the case appears to the ordinary mind, however, they must either decide that Thaw was sane or insane when he shot Stanford White, and therefore convict or acquit him. Boiled down to the bone, that is the issue which is presented.

GROWS BOLDER.

Hartridge today was bold enough to suggest that Jerome, to preserve his consistency should ask the court to instruct the jury to acquit Thaw. This suggestion was made on the theory that Jerome, who is not insane, might be compelled to admit that he is insane. It is not at all likely that the District Attorney will adopt the suggestion. Rather will he laboriously sink his own personal views and try to get the jury to believe that he may be able to muster enough to convince the twelve jurors against his own personal conviction to declare Thaw guilty.

JEROME AFTER ADVICE.

Mr. Jerome has been seeking the advice of lawyers and it is known that he has frequently been in conference with De Lancey Nicol. Mr. Nicol represents certain interests in the trial whose efforts have been to keep certain matters from the public. Clifford W. Hartridge gave out the following statement.

"Even Mr. Jerome asked Justice Fitzgerald for an adjournment to get some

sort of a writ—he was hazy on what he wanted. He consulted with certain judges and lawyers and they all told him that the writs he was suing for as demanded. That is the reason he decided not to apply for the writ. What he will do on Monday morning I do not know, but I suppose he will make his usual appeal to the court on some grounds or other."

CAN'T GO AHEAD.

"I do not see how Mr. Jerome can get ahead with the trial when he has told the court that Thaw was insane. He ought to ask the court to instruct the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty. Now I want to give you the history of my opinion before the lunacy commission, and I waived all constitutional rights and told the commission to ask Thaw any question they saw fit except that I told him to not answer any questions about the trial and the case."

QUESTIONS THAW.

"One member of the commission did ask Thaw a question about this case and on my advice, he declined to answer it. Then the commissioners sent for me and asked me if I would not withdraw my name. I told them I would not withdraw my name. They then asked me to answer the question. I then told Thaw to answer the question, the members of the commission might ask it, and I suppose that he did but he did not know that I did. Now in the opinion of the commission and was not present at the examination any more than Mr. Jerome was. It would now, after all we have gone through."

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HILL TRUST MAGNATE IS FRANK AND ABOVE BOARD

Discusses Ways of Corporations Which He Says Will Prove Their Sincerity If Given the Time.

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industrial concerns, Mr. Schwab admitted that over-capitalization has been carried to an extreme and that some of the industrial concerns are in a bad way for lack of money.

I met Mr. Schwab at the home of an old friend of his and talked with him for something more than a half hour concerning the general financial situation.

The man who came out of Pittsburg to step into the shoes of Andrew Carnegie as active head of the steel business of this country, talks with the eagerness of a youth, and despite his ideas, makes every word he says a most important contribution to the symposium to which Rockefeller, Carnegie, Harriman, Roosevelt, Morton and other men of prominence have contributed on the money question.

CONDITIONS ARE CHANGED

"What is your opinion as to the subject of over-capitalization?"

"Briefly I do not believe in it at the present time."

"But you did not always feel that way; did you?"

"No, conditions have changed, however, and the public must be convinced that over-capitalization is not such a bad thing."

"Do you believe the railroads are over-capitalized?" was asked.

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GIVEN AS PREMIUMS

"I wonder if you realize that many of the so-called gilt-edged railroad securities which are sought after today were originally given away as premiums with bonus. Today those stocks have risen greatly in value and the over-capitalization has been wiped out."

"Do you mean to say that over-capitalization is justified to the extent that it is a good thing today?"

"No, it is not proper now. Corporations will in the future be over-capitalized. I can point out in my own business an indication of how the business is swinging ahead to eat up great stock issues."

"In 1880 there were about 10,000,000 tons of steel used annually in the country. It took several years to double this and the development of business later began in earnest and now we are using about 24,000,000 tons a year."

GIVING OF DIVIDENDS

We then discussed statements made by Mr. Rockefeller, one of these being relative to Rockefeller's skepticism regarding worthy dividend paying stocks which promoters are willing to let the public in on.

"Will you answer Mr. Rockefeller's inquiries on this point?" I asked.

"What corporation, what stock do you mean?" he asked.

"For instance, the United States Steel Corporation. Why did not you men who promoted that corporation hold the stock? Presumably you had the money?"

"That may be answered in this way. Individual settlements were made with the various concerns taken in. Most of the men who got the stock had been actually at the head of their businesses. When they got the stock had been actually at the head of their businesses. When they got the stock that was given to them they felt that they wanted to diversify their interests, to get some of their money in other things. They were the men who began to put the stock on the market. Those who were content to stick to steel, held their stock."

"A big concern," he added, "should be so capitalized that it will pay about six per cent on all of its stock and to do that it must make 18 per cent."

MONEY IS VERY TIGHT

"Are the industrial concerns in any better shape than the railroads in regard to getting money?"

"No, they need it, and are having a very hard time to raise it."

"What is the result of all the present talk going to be?"

"Nothing. We are inclined to be too conservative at the present time."

Here, out of the mouth of one of the heads of the American steel business is an explanation of Wall Street "water." Probable capacity rather than past production and national development are expected to transmute the water into gold.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Fifid devotion cast Miss Grace Kretschmer, 1610 North Troy street, Avondale, the life of her affianced husband.

The young man shot himself dead in a fit of petulance because his fiancee, solicitous of the condition of her mother, who was ill, had declined to accompany him in a dance.

The act was committed at the door of the young woman's home, immediately after she had bade her lover good-night.

Grace Kretschmer, who was 16 years old, was well known socially in Avondale.

The young couple had been engaged the previous year and were almost constantly together at the social events in the suburb. Their devotion to each other was marked.

The dance which they had planned to attend was given by a neighboring club in the hall of the Belden Club.

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"HIGHER UP" MEN IN GRAFT ARE ANXIOUS

WHELAN TELLS PUBLIC ABOUT CAMPAIGN OF 1905

What the League Did and the Work it
Had to Accomplish and
How It Was Done.

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pose of rescuing San Francisco from the grasp of dishonesty and incompetency. It was formed in the interests of no person, firm or corporation, public or private, and it was conducted strictly along the lines on which it was formed.

Its purpose was to win the Primary Election of 1905, secure control of the Republican Municipal Convention and being about a fusion with the Democratic party—all to the end that a three-cornered Mayoralty contest might be avoided, and the people of San Francisco might be afforded an opportunity to vote on a direct, face-to-face issue between graft and anti-graft, between indecency and decency.

THE OPPOSITION.

"The League had opposed to it a compact organization of unlimited means and unbounded unscrupulousness—an organization that had complete control of every department of the City Government; had the name of the City Government, the election officer, the location of every election booth, and the registering of every voter. In a word, the full control of the whole machinery by which the exercise of the franchise of the citizens was to be executed, their choice expressed, counted and recorded, was in the hands of the enemy—and that enemy had given ample proof of his willingness to violate the law, and had displayed a remarkable cunning in devising means to take every advantage of his position, fair and unfair, legal and illegal."

TIME AND MONEY.

"To expedite a successful war in the interests of the government against such odds necessarily demanded the expenditure of much time and money. All possible avenues of fraud had to be investigated, watched and guarded; great quantities of paper had to be issued, large sums had to be spent in postage; a direct appeal had to be made by letter to every voter again and again; the whole register of voters had to be checked over name by name; every citizen not on the register had to be sent by post or letter or by telephone, and a record of his compliance or his failure to register had to be kept; public halls had to be hired; tickets had to be printed; men had to be employed to watch at the polls and to challenge every suspicious voter, to pedigree every suspicious voter, and his record was recorded; to report those who had not as yet voted, to call up these recalcitrant voters by telephone and to beg them not fail to get in their vote before the polls closed; buggies, wagons, busses and

automobiles had to be hired to collect voters and carry them to the polls, etc.

ENEMY'S RESOURCES.

"All these conveniences, and more, too, the enemy enjoyed to the full, these grants the enemy put into operation.

"Not to employ the same conveniences, not to pursue the same methods, as far as the law would justify, would mean that the league might as well surrender before a blow was struck, and that the final

the redemption of San Francisco might as well be suspended at the outset."

SOUGHT CONTRIBUTIONS.

"To wage the war as best it could, the San Francisco League sought contributions on every side—from individuals, from firms, from corporations, public and private. But in seeking those contributions, one sole argument was used

"The Home Telephone Company was promised no favors. Gerstle's corporation did not give anything like \$8000 to the fund that was used at the primary. Treasurer Wheeler, of the Republican League got \$2000 for it early in the season. I handled none of that. All I got was the \$500 that I

"and one sole plea was urged the necessity of the city of San Francisco being rescued from the grasp of bidders and grafters."

"I now take this opportunity to declare absolutely, positively, and without reservation of any form or of any kind, to the people of San Francisco, that not one dollar or one cent, nor any sum of money of any kind, will be given to any corporation, public or private, by the San Francisco Republican League upon any condition or upon any promise, expressed or implied, that the individual, the firm, the corporation, public or private, should be because of any kind of contribution, or for any other reason, allowed to do or to do with the affairs of the league in any way, or would be permitted to name any candidate or candidates for any office or for any position; or would be permitted to pledge any office or candidate to perform any service in its behalf, either before or after election."

"MUST ANSWER.

"The league honestly and zealously endeavored, in all that it did, to keep faith with the people. No betrayal of the public interest was suggested, undertaken or desired with any person, firm, corporation, public or private, or with any interest whatsoever."

"The San Francisco Republican League won its fight. It was victorious in the primary election. It accomplished the fusion of the Republican and Democratic parties, and the face-to-face issue between graft and anti-graft, indecency and decency. The people of San Francisco must answer for the rest. Respectfully,

"FAIRFAX H. WHELAN."

GRAND JURY TAKING A SUNDAY REST FOR THE BUSY DAY THAT'S COMING

"Higher Up" Telephone Officials Will Be Examined Monday and a Batch of New Indictments Will Be Given the Court.

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ably grant the Home Telephone Company its franchise," was Wheelan's answer. "I should say that the average corporation contribution was \$2500. It was not less than that. The Home Telephone Company paid the average amount."

"And are you positive that was no agreement about the granting of the franchise on consideration of this contribution?" asked Heney again.

PROMISED NOTHING.

"None whatsoever," said Wheelan. "We promise nothing except an honest ticket."

The grand jury is said to be in possession of evidence which will show that the corporations were not disinterested contributors. The Home Telephone Company had a franchise to secure. The Pacific States desires the continued exclusion of all competitors. The Gas Company wanted a higher rates. The United Railroads could use a dozen favors. Water companies would want things later on. It was the corporation way of getting a string on the successful candidates which they could pull at the proper time.

In support of this evidence is evidence to show that many of the very same corporations which contributed

CHICAGO IS BLESSED WITH AN EXTRA MAYOR

One Has Right to Do Things, While the
Other Is Simply Vested
in "Power."

CHICAGO, April 6.—Chicago to day has one more than its regular allowance for Mayors. There are two of them, and each man has a law-latin appendix. Edward F. Dunne is mayor de facto. Frederick A. Busse is mayor de jure. Interpreted by eminent counsel of both factions, the legal phrases mean that Mayor Busse has the right to do things, and that Mayor Dunne has the power to do things.

CHANGE LIKELY.

Unless something more unexpected happens, Mayor Dunne will regain his appendix until the council meets a week from Monday night. Upon that occasion he will transfer it to Mayor Busse, who will become Mayor de jure. Mr. Busse committed himself to that program today.

There was something to precipitate haste in the manner in which Mayor Busse qualified today for the office he is soon to assume. He appeared suddenly at the office of the city clerk at noon, offered his bond in the sum of \$10,000 and demanded that he be sworn in as Mayor.

WANTED LEGAL ADVICE.

When City Clerk Anson had been found and brought into the lime light he declined to administer the oath until he had taken legal advice, and scurried to Corporation Counsel Lewis' office for information. Mr. Lewis informed Captain Anson that he might administer the oath and Mr. Busse was sworn in.

The public welfare inspired the Mayor-elect to put himself in a position to stop any such attempt as it had been reported to him. Chief Collins had in contemplation.

which it is deemed best to keep out of this country.

Sailing vessels arrived in the outer harbor today bringing 5,000,000 feet of timber, 4000000 feet of pine, 2000000 feet of Douglas and 2000000 feet of spruce. The lumber comes from Umpqua, the James, Ralph and W. H. Hume from Astoria, the Wills A. Holden from Bellingham and the W. P. Talbot from Bellingham. The lumber is made quite dry before meeting no very bad weather. The steamer Santa Monica, sailing from here to Ventura with a portion of her cargo, is expected back again this evening to finish discharging here.

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LAUGH AT STORY THAT CZAR WILL LEAVE THRONE

Rumor Causes Amusement in Well-Informed Circles of the Russian Capital.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 6.—The wild story which comes from England is that the Czar is to abdicate, turning over the reins of government to his younger brother, the Grand Duke Michael, as regent, causes amusement in well-informed circles here.

Those in a position to know declare that so far from being a wreck, either mental or physical, His Majesty is in better health than he has been for a long time and is taking a most active part in the efforts to solve the problems which confront the government, and bring peace and a chance for prosperity to his distracted empire.

CONSULTS MINISTERS.

He consults freely with his ministers, it is said, and is deeply interested in the proceedings of the Douma.

The famine situation shows little improvement. A plague of scurvy has naturally followed in the wake of the famine and despite all efforts to check it, it seems to be growing worse.

The official reports for the second fortnight of March show 1,055 cases in Ufa Province and 717 in Saratov, compared with 138 cases in Ufa the first fortnight of March and 356 in Saratov Province during the same period.

BLOODY ENCOUNTER.

A bloody encounter between strikers and strike-breakers is reported at

PUT BAN ON 'COFFIN NAILS'

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 6.—Cigarettes found few friends and no outspoken champion in the house when the bill to forbid their manufacture or sale in this state was passed by a vote of 127 to 18.

Violations of the act, which embraces cigarette papers and wrappings, as well as the cigarettes are to be punished by fines of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100. Selling such joints is to be prohibited. The bill will possibly be defeated in the senate.

BOYS

(Of 16 years and under)
Here's A Chance To Get
One Dollar's Worth of
Goods For Nothing

You do not have to buy anything to get this present. All we ask you to do is to commit this poetry to memory and come into our store and recite it correctly. You can then select free one dollar's worth of merchandise from our Juvenile Department. If you prefer we will deduct the dollar from a suit, overcoat or any other goods you may purchase.

Be Sure and Bring This Advertisement With You

Evolution in Clothing

In the matter of clothing you'll doubtless perceive
That the fashions have changed some since Adam and Eve
From the Garden of Eden became refugees,
And made their apparel from leaves of the trees.

But we the descendants from the famous pair,
Having wisely concluded 'tis better to wear
Good clothing—the thing most important to know,
When we need it, is where is the best place to go.

Coming right to the point then we simply will say
M. J. Keller Company have a display
Of the best in the market and our stock is complete
At our big store in Oakland on Washington Street.

On Broadway, New York, in the great Empire State,
The same goods we carry—the exact duplicate
Are sold and they're getting the same price that we
Are asking out here by the great Western Sea.

Being experts in clothes, we in confidence claim
To be judges of fabrics and pledge our good name
That for quality, style, durability, price,
Our goods are just right—we think that will suffice.

Remember there goes with each garment a free
And unqualified, absolute, sure guarantee
So the men and the boys from the whole country 'round
Buy their clothing at Keller's where values are found.

M. J. Keller & Co.

THE BIG STORE WITH THE LITTLE RENT.

1157-1159 Washington Street, Oakland

JAPS MAKE MOCKERY OF MARRIAGE'S SACRED BOND

Fallen Women Evoke Immigration Laws
by Wedding Any Old Person at
Gang Plank.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 6.—Using only Seattle, Portland, or San Francisco, fallen women are pouring into the United States in numbers. Under existing immigration laws and regulations any Japanese woman, no matter how degraded, is enabled to gain an entry to the country by merely being met at the gang-plank of some Oriental steamer, their marrying a good or worthless Japanese. She goes through the ceremony with the moral indifference characteristic of her race. The man is simply produced for the purpose of the occasion and to her the marriage institution means nothing. Very soon thereafter she is found leading a life of shame in the slums of the cities of the Pacific Coast, us

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PEACE LOVERS WILL TRAVEL

NEW YORK, April 6.—Wm. H. Stead, the English writer and champion of peace, will occupy the pulpit of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, tomorrow night to announce to America his plan for an international pilgrimage of peace.

Briefly, he proposes that a small group of this country's most eminent private citizens shall start on May 1 for London, where they will be joined by a similar group of Englishmen, and then move from capital to capital, with steadily increased numbers, and to each sovereign in Europe proclaim the doctrine of international peace. On June 10 they will arrive in the Hague for the opening of the first peace parliament of the world.

During the past three months Mr. Stead has been making the rounds of Europe to sound the opinion of kings and ministers and prepare the way for the pilgrims. Everywhere he met with encouragement.

ABE RUEF AND INDICTED GRAFTERS DENOUNCED AT NATIVE SONS BANQUET

Curly Boss and Gallagher, Speakers Say, Should Be Removed
From the High Offices They Hold in
the Order.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Abraham Ruef, grand trustee of the Native Sons, and Supervisor Gallagher, grand president of that order, were denounced this evening at a banquet given by the Yerba Buena parlor of the Native Sons. Joseph Abrams, president of the parlor, was toastmaster.

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FIRE DESTROYS "SKIDOO" SHOP

Alarms Come From Two Sources
—Woman Faints From Fright.

Two alarms of fire were turned in yesterday afternoon shortly after 5 o'clock, one from box 57 and the other from box 14, both covering the same fire. This was found to be at 1424 San Pablo avenue, the works of the "Skidoo" Renovating Company. The company had moved their works to the number named about ten days ago, and will have to make another move, as the establishment was totally destroyed.

It was a fire trap, according to the chief, being located between two houses, each adjoining the "Skidoo" building.

Just before the alarm was turned in there was a small explosion heard, but no one was found who could explain the cause. Suddenly flames were seen at the rear of the "Skidoo" company's establishment, and these rapidly spread to adjoining houses. An alarm was sent in and when the fire department arrived it was found that the interior of the "Skidoo" company's store, together with the rear portion of adjoining houses on each side, were in flames.

In a short time the department had the flames confined to the establishment of the "Skidoo" Renovating Company, where the herring and other combustibles kept the firemen busy for nearly an hour.

Chief Wall says he understood that a small explosion took place in one of the machines used, probably caused by a match left in one of the garments being renovated.

It was said early in the fire scare that one woman had been injured, but it was later learned that Mrs. Roche, who lives at 1426 San Pablo, who was ill, had fainted when the alarm was turned in, but was not injured. Damage amounts to about \$2000, partially covered by insurance.

POOL ROOMS SOON TO OPEN

The poolrooms at Sausalito will open on Easter Sunday, May 13.

SAM BARTLETT OFFERS BIG PRIZE

BERKELEY, April 6.—Louis Bartlett, a graduate of the university with the class of 1893, and a practicing attorney in San Francisco, has offered to the university \$150 to be awarded during the academic year 1897-1898 to the student presenting the best essay discussing the most practical solutions of the problems of nominating the best and most efficient persons for office, excluding the President and United States Senator. The essay is intended to include a discussion of direct primaries, nominating conventions and pure or proportional representation. The competition will be open to all students of the university, including the professional and graduate schools. The committee having in charge the conditions of the competition consists of Professor Guy Hall Roberts, chairman, and Professor Lincoln Hutchinson and Dr. W. E. Hocking.

PROF. DAVIDSON TO SEARCH FOR GAS

BERKELEY, April 6.—Professor J. G. Davidson, who has charge of the department of physics at Mills College, San Francisco, is expected to be in Berkeley soon to commence a series of investigations in research work on the ionization of gases. He will work with Professor Percival Lewis at the university laboratories, and it is principally for the benefit of the students with Professor Lewis that the professor's instructor is coming to Berkeley. Professor Lewis is well known all over the world for his scientific work in connection with the discharge of electricity through gases.

In former years Professor Davidson was an assistant in the physics department here, and now the place is filled by his brother, T. A. Davidson. The former was also a graduate student here, and is to apply the work this summer toward obtaining his degree of doctor of philosophy.

STORY OF SEVERAL DYNAMITE EXPLOSIONS

The wild-eyed man looked hard from his table at the woman across the little room, and then he said: "Have you heard about those dynamite explosions going on all over the city?" she said. "I couldn't help hearing it," he declared, the bright-eyed man, "and I'm the cause of all those explosions." "For heaven's sake," whispered the woman to her companion, "did you hear that? Does he carry the bombs around with him, you think? I want to go home."

"I know that man," remarked her companion quietly. "No wonder he has attacks of brain storm now and then. He's been drinking this table d'hoite ink and eating their driers for two solid years."—New York Press.

OAKLAND COUPLE SECRETLY WEDDED

SANTA ROSA, Cal., April 6.—Paul A. Marquette, a prominent young business man of Oakland, and Miss Myrtle H. Law, of this city, came here today and obtained marriage license. They do not want the wedding to be kept a secret. Their families are said to be well connected in the Bay City.

BEAUTY—STRENGTH

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Miss Myrtle, Editor Woman's Page, Buffalo Times.

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POPULAR SORORITY GIRL WEDS UNDER BLOSSOMS



Perform Ceremony in Beautifully Decorated Church of Staid and Pretty College Town.

BERKELEY, April 6.—Beneath a profusion of pink and white blossoms, Miss Margaret Stewart, the popular college sorority girl, tonight became the bride of Dyas Power Boothe. Scores of friends of the bride and groom from the cities around the bay were present at the ceremony, which was performed at the Unitarian church, at Dana street and Bancroft way, the Rev. Bradford Leavitt of San Francisco officiating.

The bride, who is an unusually beautiful girl of the blonde type, wore a bridal gown of white chiffon cloth over silk, with long veil and shower of lilies of the valley. The maid of honor, Miss Maude Arnold, of San Francisco, wore a gown of pink silk and carried a shower of pink roses.

GAVE POISONED PEACH TO LITTLE BOY TO EAT

Story of the Life of a Fifteen-Year-Old Murderess Is Narrated in the Court.

CARMEL, New York, April 6.—The life secret of Jennie Ruth Burch, the 15-year-old murderer of little Wilbur Winship, to whom she gave a poisoned peach—that her father had deserted and disowned her when she was a baby—came as a revelation just before her lawyers rested her case in session of the trial.

Her present condition is a remission of her active mental trouble. Whether or not she is sane or insane now is hard to tell. Her condition has not progressed far enough to give it a name unless we call it pubescent insanity. Her condition today is to be able to know her state as well as a child of fifteen would know it, and to be able to consult with her attorney for a limited degree she knows right from wrong.

"I was just fifteen when I started work at the home of Isaac Field," said Mrs. Annie Burch Porritt, the girl's mother, when she took the stand. She spoke in a dull monotone, and glanced at her daughter. Then she went on:

"There I met Stanton Field. He said he loved me. I loved him, and gave him all my love. Then he deserted me after he had promised to marry me. Jennie was born, and never knew who her father was for I never told her. I didn't even tell her that I was her mother. She always supposed that Philo Burch and my mother were her parents. Poor little Jennie.

"Assuredly it would be dangerous to turn Jennie Burch loose upon the community, because under stress I believe unquestionably she would be likely to break down, and her mental break-down would take the line already shown."

"PUBESCENT INSANITY." It was believed that this practically sealed the fate of the girl, and that now she will go to the State Asylum for the Insane at Matteawan. Dr. Granger, who is in the unusual

WILL STAND BY THE GIRL

Tears filled the eyes of more than one jurymen when grim-faced, old Philo Burch testified while on the stand that Jennie as a child had called him "Papa" and her grandmother "Mamma."

"I was a father to her, though," said old Burch proudly, "even if her own father had deserted her. I will never go back on her if she poison Wilbur Winship. She did not know the enormity of her crime. She has always been a kind, sweet and gentle child. Her disposition was lovely. She never could knowingly have harmed any one."

Testimony establishing insanity in the defendant's maternal ancestry was given by Mrs. Mary Daken, great-aunt of Jennie. Mrs. Daken testified that her great-grandfather, her great-grandmother, and an uncle were all of unsound mind.

Miss Ada Patterson, the celebrated writer for the Evening Journal was the last witness called by the prosecution. Miss Patterson told of the girl's confession to her in the White Plains jail.

Mrs. Winship, to whose child Jennie sprang a poisoned peach in the first instance. She kept herself under marvelous control. A note of bitterness crept into her voice at two or three points in her examination, but she corrected it immediately. Two of her three children are living—Harry and Roscoe, sixteen and nine.

Folding by machine done for the trade at THE TRIBUNE Bindery.

USED PHONE FOR HIS BETS

Strange Plunger Who Made \$150,000 On Ponies in Two Years.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Confronted with the stubs of check books showing that \$150,000 had been paid to him through the poolroom syndicate, a man whose name was given as Pickens at the hearing before Magistrate Barlow today said they represented his winnings in the past two years.

He said that when he bet and lost he paid E. A. Fisher, who is now under bail of \$1,000, charged with running a poolroom. When he won he was paid by check from W. D. Miller & Company.

The witness declared that stubs of checks did not represent all his transactions with the poolroom people. There was nothing to show what his losses were, because the stubs of his own checks were not produced to offset the winnings.

The mysterious Mr. Pickens said he never had seen any of the persons with whom he did business. All his bets, he said, were made over the telephone. He was assured, he says, that the poolroom man had a direct telephone to the track and that there was no foul violated, as the bet was actually placed.

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LOVERS' ESPERANTO. Their words had ceased, yet any looker-on.

Were he but scanty-wise,

Might see the conversation going on—

Continued in their eyes.

And when their ardent dialogue was done,

They still could understand—

By using Cupid's universal code—

—Life.

The pressure of a hand—

—Life.

—

Gifts of Conscience.

Carnegie has made two more big gifts to the educational institutions established by his endowments and bearing his name in the city where he accumulated most of his great wealth. The Carnegie Institution at Pittsburg has received a second gift of \$4,000,000, which doubles its endowment, and the Carnegie Technical School in the same city has received an additional \$2,000,000 to its former endowments. Carnegie's gifts to Pittsburg now aggregate \$23,000,000.

While a large degree of vanity seems to have inspired Carnegie in the making of all his gifts, there is also a suggestion that a stricken conscience has been a strong element in prompting them. The same may be said of Rockefeller, who has so largely endowed the University of Chicago. One feature is noteworthy in the case of both, namely, that their gifts have been made almost wholly for educational purposes, in one form or another, from which the public at large are reasonably expected to derive the benefit in the long-run. It is their way of recognizing the source whence their great wealth has been derived and the evidences of the workings of conscience in their disposition of it.

Neither of these rich men were at all scrupulous about the methods employed in acquiring their great wealth. Both have left an unerasable mass of human wreckage along the path they have traveled during their career of money-making. In the process of acquisition they have ruthlessly destroyed rival industries and the fortunes of competitors, and, after attaining more than they in all likelihood originally sought, they seem to have been smitten by qualms of conscience over the possession of what has passed into history as "tainted money." If their big gifts to the people for the endowment of great educational and eleemosynary institutions and the establishment of free public libraries represent, in any sense, conscience money, that fact should go far toward the removal of any taint with which they have been associated and condone many of the tragedies which made their giving possible.

Carnegie and Rockefeller have both posed to a certain extent as divinely appointed agents for the dispensing of great public charities. Of course, the divine appointment will be disputed by those whose fortunes were wrecked in the process of amassing the wealth of these modern Croesuses, and they will stoutly object to being represented by proxy as gift-makers to education and charity. However, it makes very little difference whether these gifts of conscience are inspired by an honest intention to serve their fellowmen, or to gratify a spirit of personal vanity, or to relieve themselves of the oppressive burden involved in the care of the vast fortunes they have accumulated in the short period of a quarter of a century, the main fact should not be lost sight of, namely, that they are not waiting for posterity to distribute their wealth, but are doing it themselves while in the full possession of their mental and physical powers and are personally witnessing the good which their gifts are producing. There are plenty more multi-millionaires in and out of the country whose vast wealth has been acquired by means quite as questionable as those employed by Carnegie and Rockefeller, who have not been moved by any qualms of conscience to restore any of it to the public, but who hug their boards with a miserly embrace while continuing the effort, with unremitting zeal, to increase their prodigious fortunes by the same old processes which have controlled all of their actions through life. Compared with these, Carnegie and Rockefeller, however sinful they may have been, appear as saints.

German iron and steel manufacturers unanimously object to the holding of a World's Exposition in Berlin in 1913. The grounds of their objection are not stated. Can it be that they are afraid of the effect of the display of the products of competitive foreign manufacturers on their own industries?

The auction of the personal effects of Stanford White, the victim of Harry Thaw, shows that the desire of the morbidly inclined for the possession of property associated with a noted crime is as strong among that class now as it ever was. Fabulous prices are being paid for the most ordinary and significant articles sold under the hammer. It is not an agreeable commentary on the weakness of human nature.

The new Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor has decided to make a rigid and searching investigation of the workings of the offices of the shipping commissioners in the large ports of the country. It is a long time since such an investigation was made, although these offices are often fruitful of grave abuses which give rise to serious scandals. The investigation will doubtless extend to the office of the shipping commissioner having jurisdiction over San Francisco bay and it will probably be productive of much good, for there is no time in history when the opportunities for abuses were more plentiful than they are at the present time and under existing conditions.

Quiet little Switzerland has not escaped from the unsettled state of the earth's crust which has been evidenced so strongly in other parts of the world during the past two or three years. The Alpine ranges are outside of what is commonly known as the "volcanic zone," but they experienced two sharp earthquakes on Friday which started destructive avalanches at various points in the Rhaetian Alps on the Austrian frontier, sweeping in their course to the narrow valleys at their base many sections of forest land. Evidently no part of the earth's surface is immune these days from the throes which disturb it, for the geological formations in the Swiss Alps have been regarded by scientists as having reached a state of absolute permanency and quietude ages unnumbered before the advent of man.

The report of the proposed abdication of the Czar, Nicholas II, may be accepted as merely an expression of the wish of the Russian reactionaries and bureaucracy in order to restore despotism in its most aggressive form to further their own interests. One of the first measures this class would carry out would be, of course, the abolition of the Duma and the establishment of a dictatorship, if the Czar could be induced to abdicate. The charge of his increasing weakness of mentality is a revival of an old gag which has figured in every agitation started by the reactionaries. The Czar's chief mental weakness has been a disposition to vacillate. Indecision has always been a strong trait in his character. He has, therefore, been an easy victim to intrigue. He has always been credited with being well-intentioned and disposed to increase the liberties of the Russian people and introduce popular national reforms. If he were left to carry out his own inclinations, without the interference of the Grand Ducal cabal, the revolutionary spirit in his dominions would probably die out naturally for the want of material on which to feed and fatten; but the constant intrigues at

ALL BEARS LOOK ALIKE TO HIM.



the imperial court make this impossible. The activity of the reactionaries at St. Petersburg has at present been renewed, because the present Duma is manifesting a disposition to introduce governmental reforms which are likely to receive the Czar's approval and which may ultimately produce in Russia a peaceful revolution, a condition the bureaucracy has no desire to see carried out.

ANNEXATION.

(A reply to Mr. Ryerson.)

This dicker with Fruityvale recalls to my mind

A tale of the years that I've long left behind;

Some boys at a thrashing found eggs in the hay,

And slyly and carefully laid them away.

The fireman was watching, the engine was stopped,

And over a beam in the big mow he flopped;

His thumb nails went into an egg like a flash;

He'd swallow it there as he swallowed his hash;

Some faces were smiling, but his wore a frown;

He did all he could, but it wouldn't go down.

"That chicken," he said, as he winked his off eye,

"Is too big to swallow, an' too small to fry."

We outlin' districts are foolish, perhaps?

But then we are hurryin', skurryin' chaps.

Our business just now (you may foller our tracks)

Is puttin' up bungalows, cottages, shacks;

We're needin' some shingles just over our heads;

Some places for stoves an' some dry ones for beds;

If you're goin' to help us, a hammer an' saw,

Will be better than politics, churches or law;

Oh, Booster skidoo, politician avaunt!

We'll call at the store for whatever we want;

For the rest, "nothin' doin'" it's no use to try;

We're too big to swallow, an' too small to fry.

We left the big cities to save some expense,

An' the boodlers an' rain drove us up on the fence;

The prices we pay gives us chills in the back;

Why, potatoes are costing three dollars a sack.

Of course all we buy is the best in the land;

But a full set of grafters is more 'n we can stand;

Of expenses like that we're compelled to fight shy;

When foxes are 'round all the chickens roost high.

Some day, when there's butter to spare on our shelves,

We'll go in a fryin' pan all by ourselves,

An' we'll have us some grafters—I guess they'll be girls,

An' the taxes 'll keep 'em in diamonds an' pearls;

The boys from the cities, of course, 'll come here,

An' a town 'll go with a schooner of beer.

We'll have, on these hillsides, a whale of a town;

Make Frisco and Oakland go back and sit down;

Till then, see the notice hung up in the sky:

"Too big to be swallowed an' too small to fry."

Elmhurst, Cal.

ALBERT GREENWOOD.

WHERE LABOR DOESN'T LIKE LABOR.

Today it is a common sight in Richmond to see cold, unscientific men riding about, erect and fierce, in their military saddles, first up one alley and down the next, then back again through a side street, apparently without any definite route or purpose in view—only to reappear for a moment and gallop away in a cloud of dust. I might never have known that these, too, are seeking after a fashion, had not their frequent appearance piqued my curiosity and prompted me to inquire of a pedestrian.

"Why, my dear sir!" he exclaimed, amazed at my naivete, "if the boss of a lawge conce'nd didn't pay fo' or five men to ride afeah these heah niggahs, befo' an hour had passed they'd all be fast asleep, with the hosses takin' care o' themselves." Thus does cruel custom trample on the poor African's legitimate needs.—C. H. White, in Harper's for April.

"Life is a queer game," mused the ancient sport.

"As to how in particular?" inquired the other half of the sketch. "John L. Sullivan is applauded because he gave away possibly \$20,000, and here John D. Rockefeller hands out \$32,000,000 in one clip without getting the ghost of a hand."

Oakland's Interest in Goldfield.

The industrial troubles which have afflicted Goldfield, Nev., and produced a suspension of mining operations there for several weeks past are believed now to be in a fair way of settlement. If a satisfactory settlement is made the resumption of work will immediately follow. Such a result is devoutly desired, for the disturbing influences of Goldfield's troubles have been far-reaching.

The lockout in the Goldfield mines has not interfered with the operations of the stock markets, it is true. Speculation is, of course, rife in such securities, whatever may be the conditions at the seat of industry on which it exists. Bulls and bears are always active on the exchanges and on the alert to take advantage, one way or another, of every situation which may arise. During the Goldfield troubles the bears have been hammering away at Southern Nevada stocks in order to reap a harvest through the depression of quotations, while the bull element in the speculative arena has vigorously exerted itself in order to save themselves from loss. So far as the wildcat securities that are listed on the stock boards—and they are legion—are concerned, it makes very little difference to the general public what happens to those dabbling in them. Trade in this class of stocks is at best a gamble, and those who risk their money in such misnamed "securities" do it strictly from a gambler's standpoint. Win or lose, they are not entitled to credit or to sympathy. The consequences of disaster in this kind of gambling are not as great as they were before speculation on a margin was tabooed by law. To such a gamble there is now a well-defined limit. It cannot extend beyond the financial resources of the individual indulging in it.

With meritorious mining properties, the case is different. They are ordinarily productive properties, or such properties as there is every reason to believe will become productive through intelligent exploitation. Troubles like those which now involve Goldfield stop production absolutely for the time during which they continue. Investors in such properties rely largely on the income derived from uninterrupted production. Suspension of mining means the stoppage of revenue, and with it, the crippling of enterprises into which this revenue finally enters. Any disturbance in the operation of these productive properties which diminishes or stops their output is, therefore, far-reaching, unfavorably affecting often many departments of human activity which have apparently no connection with the mining industry.

Up to the time of the lockout the productive mines in the Goldfield district were turning out a vast amount of wealth. Most of this has sought profitable employment in other sections of the country. Oakland, for example, has a direct interest in the Goldfield lockout outside of its effect upon those of its citizens who deal in Goldfield stocks. Much of the wealth extracted from the productive mines in the district, up to the time of the lockout, was being permanently invested in Oakland realty. The inflow of Goldfield money to this city was, in fact, steadily increasing. No one seemed to recognize more fully the security of such investments than the fortunate mining men of this rich Nevada camp. The lockout has damned the current temporarily and many local private enterprises, improvements and investments, which were in course of development when the troubles between the mine-owners and the Industrial Workers and the Miners' Unions came to a head, have been compelled to wait until a settlement is reached and mining is resumed. Oakland is, therefore, directly interested in the closure of the Goldfield lockout, for as soon as it occurs the investment of Goldfield money in realty here will be actively resumed.

CLUB HOME FOR YOUNG WOMEN.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: The State committee for the extension and development of Young Women's Christian Associations in northern California wishes to express through your columns its intense interest in the effort now being so vigorously prosecuted in Oakland to establish a club home for young business women.

The need is great in your city as in every city, and so fruitful have been the results of such club homes in elevating the physical, intellectual, social and spiritual welfare of young women that in the East but few cities of the size of Oakland are without them. Many great industrial institutions where hundreds of girls are employed, noting these results, have voluntarily established lunch rooms, rest rooms, and classes of various kinds, feeling that they are repaid in the better morale of their employees. Oakland cannot afford to be behind in such a movement. California stands for all that is best in the development of American citizenship, and the working girl has become an element so powerful that she cannot be overlooked, and whatever tends to enoble her life will not only elevate the standards of work and of character, but will uplift all society. The girl of today is the home-maker of tomorrow and the home is the cornerstone of our entire social organization.

In Mrs. Richardson you have an able leader. She has been a member of the State committee of California and Nevada for several years, and at the national convention held in New York in December last, her ability and enthusiasm were so marked that she was made a member of the national board of Young Women's Christian Associations of the United States. This is a signal honor to Oakland, for this board of thirty women was most carefully chosen from all over the Union, the endeavor being to secure the best talent our Nation afforded to carry on this great movement for the enriching of the lives of all the young women of our land regardless of station.

We wish Oakland all success and hope soon to see her on a par with any city of her size in the opportunities she offers to self-supporting girls for their social, intellectual, physical and spiritual upbuilding. We repeat, Oakland cannot afford to let it be said that, in coming here from other cities, wage-earning girls leave behind them better advantages for their highest development than Oakland offers.

MRS. BENJAMIN I. WHEELER,
MRS. THOMAS ADDISON,
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MRS. ANTOINE B. WOOD,
MRS. WARREN OLNEY, JR.

Berkeley, April, 1907.

WHERE THE DUKE WAS.

Dr. Stalker, the well-known Scottish preacher, tells a good story of Sir John Steel, the famous sculptor. When he had the Duke of Wellington sitting for a statue he wanted to get him to look warlike. All his efforts were in vain, however, for Wellington seemed, judging by his face, never to have heard of Waterloo or Talavera. At last Sir John lost patience somewhat, and this scene followed:

"As I am going to make the statue of your grace, can you not tell me what you were doing before, say, the battle of Salamanca? Were you not galloping about the fields cheering on your men to deeds of valor by word and action?"

"Bah!" said the duke, in evident scorn. "If you really want to model me as I was on the morning of Salamanca, then do me crawling along a ditch on my stomach, with a telescope in my hand."

SPECIALS FOR MONDAY

If you are looking for a good, safe investment, and something that you can turn again at a good profit, the following "Specials" are worthy of your consideration:

\$11,350

3 new five-room flats under one roof, lot 40x120 ft. facing on Telegraph Ave., near 58th St., with a 3-room cottage in the rear. These flats are just being completed and tenants are waiting to move in. Income will be \$125 per month.

\$10,000

On 7th St., between Clay and Jefferson; lot 25x100, store below and 8 rooms above; building recently remodeled and in good condition; store rents for \$50 per month; owners live above and rent rooms which bring in \$55 per month, making an income of \$105 per month, besides having their own living apartments.

\$5,500

On Valley St., corner 23d St.; 40 ft. on Valley St. and 100 ft. on 23d St., with a good two-story, 8-room house. This property is just one block from the new Key Route Inn. The ground alone is worth the price asked.

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Castro St., near 20th, just one block from San Pablo Ave., 5-room cottage on lot 25x75 ft., 7-foot basement. This house can be turned into two modern flats of 4 and 5 rooms. With a little additional expense it can be made to bring in \$60 per month and still keep the investment inside \$5,000.

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Violation.

SAN FRANCISCO April 6—At last the campaign against so-called fire-trap theaters has been started in earnest. Thomas T. O'Dowd, secretary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, swore to a warrant for the arrest of Supervisor Sam Davis, owner of the Davis Theater at McNamee and Filmore streets today.

The warrant was served on Davis and he was admitted to bail in the sum of \$500. He will be arrested and the bail will remain the same for every time he opens his theater for a performance. The warrant charges him with violating that ordinance relative to the conducting of a performance in a building other than absolutely fireproof.

Warrants to other managers will probably follow.

MAY RETURN TO FORMER HOME

Records Will Be Moved From
Present Quarter Into Old
Structure.

SAN FRANCISCO April 6—The records of the City and County of San Francisco will be removed to their old home in the Hall of Records Monday and the fans of the officials and citizens who have been worshipping over their safe keeping can at last be set at ease.

George Duffer has announced that with \$1,000,000 more he can repair the entire front of the City Hall including the mammoth dome. The repair work on the east wing of the old municipal mansion is nearly completed. The exterior of the Hall of Records will be strung with hundreds of electric lights on the night of April 18 and a beautiful large new flag will be raised marking the celebration of the first anniversary of the fire.

TWO SIGN UP WAGE SCALES

San Francisco Laundries Ready
to Begin Work First of
Week

SAN FRANCISCO April 6—To more San Francisco laundries have signed the new wage scale after a four-day shut-down and will resume business Monday. These establish-

ments are the Hayes Park and the Golden Gate. Pickets of the union succeeded in having several non-union laundry workers of the Palace laundry quit and as a result that laundry has again been compelled to close down.

NOTED FRENCH SOLDIER
SUCCUMBS TO DISEASE

PARIS April 6—Colonel Stoffel, a noted officer is dead. He was military attaché in Berlin in 1870 and sent to Napoleon III the famous reports showing the menacing activities and organization of the German army just before the outbreak of the war between France and Germany.

WILL ENGAGE IN REAL ESTATE

W. M. Kreiss Will Open Up Busi-
ness on Broad-
way

Friends take great pleasure in announcing to the public that W. M. Kreiss the well known real estate man has established offices at 954 Broadway, room 5 and will conduct a general real estate and insurance business.

Mr. Kreiss is an expert on real estate values in Oakland having been in business here many years. He was with Bred & Bancroft at the commencement of their operations in Santa Fe tracts and was recently connected with Kreiss & Horswill. Previous to dealing in real estate he was for a number of years in the wood and coal business and was with THE TRIBUNE for two and a half years. Mr. Kreiss is a man of sound business judgment and his name is much sought after in real estate men. His known integrity has made him a host of friends in the business world and they all wish him prosperity in his new undertaking.

CARD OF THANKS

To those many friends who so kindly extended their help and sympathies in our bereavement at the loss of our brother William Clements and for the many beautiful flowers we extend our most heartfelt thanks.

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MONUMENT FOR CARL SCHURZ

Rich Men Have Given Large
Sums of Money for the
Project

Great encouragement is given the project for erecting a monument to Carl Schurz by the report of the committee which has charge of raising the funds for the memorial. The amount already raised is declared to assure the success of the movement. John D. Rockefeller, James Leob, Isaac N. Seligman, Jacob H. Schiff and others have given substantial sums as shown by the following list of the larger donors.

John D. Rockefeller \$5000, David W. Adams \$1000, Joseph H. Choate, \$1000, C. A. Coffin \$500, Mr. E. B. Cox \$500, William De Muth, George Elshet \$1000, L. A. Heinsohner, \$1000, Hamburg-Am. Line, \$1000, A. Jacob \$1000, Otto H. Kahn \$1000, James Loeb \$2000, Morris Loeb \$500, Adolf Lewisohn \$1000, J. Le Roque \$500, Mrs. H. C. Meyer, S. Ivensadt \$500, Oelrich & Co. \$1000, John E. Parsons \$1000, A. Paganstecher \$500, Herman Ridder \$1000, I. N. Seligman \$25000, James Speyer \$1000, Charles S. Smith, \$1000, Jacob H. Schiff, \$2500, M. L. Schiff \$1000, Steinway & Sons \$500, Oscar S. Strauss \$500, F. M. Shepard \$500, Ernest Thalmann \$1000, Mrs. H. Villard, \$1000, O. G. Villard \$500, Paul M. Warburg \$2500, F. M. Warburg \$1000, Mrs. A. Woerthoffer \$2000, August Quinzer \$500.

NO PROFIT IN SAW DUST RING

"Greatest Show on Earth" Re-
ports Show Poor Sea-
sons.

NEW YORK, April 6—The receipts of the Barnum and Bailey circus, according to a circular issued to the shareholders, show a falling off in the last few years while the expenses have correspondingly increased.

The gross receipts for 1905 and 1906 for instance were about the same, but owing to the big increase in expenses the profit last year was only about \$8,000 compared with about \$100,000 in 1905. The directors say however, that the present year's business promises to be more satisfactory.

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BABY STORY LIKE ROMANCE

TRYING TO SET ASIDE TRUST

Mother Finally Secures the St. Louis Incubated Baby.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 6.—The state Supreme Court decided today that Mrs. Charlotte Bleakley of Lawrence, Kan., is entitled to the "incubated baby" exhibited at the St. Louis World's Fair. This reverses the Douglas county District Court and upholds the decision of the Circuit Court of Illinois, which held that Mrs. Bleakley is the mother of the child.

The decision ends a most interesting fight for possession of the baby. James G. Barkley and Stella Barkley, his wife, who were in charge of an exhibit at the St. Louis fair, said the baby in the incubator was their own. They traced its supposed parentage to Mrs. Bleakley of Lawrence, who was permitted to sign a deed of adoption to Mrs. Barkley.

The baby had been placed in the concession by a St. Louis midwife, who, it developed later, had sold Mrs. Bleakley, uncertain that the child was really hers and wishing to aid Mrs. Barkley to gain possession of it from the midwife, signed the adoption papers. Later Mrs. Bleakley, becoming satisfied that the child was her own, sought to reclaim it. The case was tried in Illinois and Mrs. Bleakley given custody of the child.

The Barkleys made another effort, however, to regain possession through the district court of Kansas. The Kansas district court finally gave judgment for the Barkleys, but Mrs. Bleakley kidnapped the child, escaped to Illinois and placed herself under the jurisdiction of the court which had decided in her favor.

Eugene Ware, former commissioner of pensions, finally took Mrs. Bleakley's case before the Kansas Supreme Court which gives her the custody of the child and coincides with the Illinois court that she is its mother.

TRAIN SERVICE WILL SOON BE RESUMED

LOS ANGELES, April 6.—Regular through passenger traffic on the Salt Lake line, which has been closed for several weeks, will be resumed April 12th, according to reports received at the general offices here today. The Southern Pacific coast line to San Francisco will be open next week after being closed for three weeks.

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PASTOR SAYS HE HAS PLENTY

Attorney Says He Will Be Able to Get at Mrs. Eddy's Property.

BOSTON, April 6.—Frederick W. Peabody, of counsel of the complainants in the suit for an accounting of the property of Mary Baker G. Eddy, said today: "The status of three alleged trustees will not be assumed, but must be proven. They are not trustees if the instrument upon which they rely is invalid and the validity of the instrument can be determined only by a judicial determination through the examination of the person who made it."

"The attempted creation of the trust is an admission of the incompetency of Mrs. Eddy personally to administer her business and property, and such an admission involves the further admission of incompetency to dispose of it by deed of trust or otherwise."

"I am confident we shall have no difficulty in having the alleged trust instrument invalidated because of Mrs. Eddy's condition of mental unsoundness."

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Services in the Churches

First Congregational Church, corner Twelfth and Clay streets, Rev. Charles R. Brown, pastor, 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor, "The Meaning of Church Membership," 7:30 p. m., addresses by Charles W. Petty and Reuben Wland, representing the Central Labor Council, on "Moral Conditions Surrounding Working Girls in Oakland."

Fourth Congregational Church, corner Twelfth and Clay streets, Rev. Frederick H. Gauvin, pastor, Morning, "Eastern Empire," Evening, Rev. J. R. Isbell will preach, "Heads of Shadow Across Christ's Cradle."

The subject of the sermons at the Second Congregational Church, Sunday, April 7, are as follows: 11 a. m., "Faith Fishing," 7:45 p. m., "Discovering a Man."

Special music furnished at both services. The church extends a cordial invitation to all strangers to attend the services.

Pilgrim Congregational Church, Raymond C. Brooks, pastor, 11 a. m., "He Shall Not Fail," 3 o'clock, vestry communion service.

M. E. CHURCH.

Eight-avenue church, Methodist Episcopal, Rev. Leon L. Loeffebour, pastor, Morning, Rev. F. D. Bovard, editor California Christian Advocate, will preach. Evening, Mr. Horn, secretary Y. M. C. A., will speak on the "Triumphs of Faith."

PRESBYTERIAN.

Centennial Presbyterian Church, Taylor and Twenty-fourth Streets—Services—Sunday School, 10 a. m.; "The Prince of Peace," 7:30 a. m., "Atonement," 7:30 p. m., an address and communion service; Bible Reading, 11 a. m.

Blue Presbyterian Church, Fourteenth and Franklin streets—Rev. E. C. Baker, D. D., pastor, Morning, "The Prince of Coward," evening, "Modern Chivalry."

Welsh Presbyterian Church—Rev. Josiah Williams, in the afternoon and evening with the Welsh people of Oakland will be with the Welsh people of San Francisco in a musical festival at the Howard street Presbyterian Church of San Francisco, where the revival songs of Wales will be sung. Services commencing at 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Union Street Presbyterian Church—Rev. Dwight E. Potter, pastor, 11 a. m., "The Ideal Christian," 7:30 p. m., "Dante and Antoni Hero."

United Presbyterian, Hanna Memorial Church, corner Eleventh and Castro streets—Rev. Paul Stewart, master Morning, "Recognized Power or Wasted Energies," evening, "This is Victory."

EPISCOPAL.

St. Andrew's Church, corner Twelfth and Market streets—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; "Eucharist and Communion," 7:30 p. m., Rector, Rev. O. St. John Scott.

St. John's Church, Eighth and Grove streets—Rev. Edgar F. Gee, rector, Celebration of Holy Communion, 7:45 a. m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; eucharist and sermon, 11 a. m.; choral evensong and sermon, 7:30 o'clock. The Easter program of music will be repeated.

BAPTIST.

First Free Baptist Church, Twenty-first street, between San Pablo avenue and Brannan street—preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Reed. Communion Sunday.

Rev. William Thomas, pastor, will preach on the evening of Lord's day, 11 a. m., "Faith Concerning Christ," the ordinance of the Lord's supper will be repeated; 7:30 p. m., "Radical Things in the Word of God." Strangers are welcome.

The young people's societies of the Baptist Churches about the bay contemplate holding one of the largest banquets yet by the young people of the Pacific coast at the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church, Oakland, Friday, April 10th.

It is the expectation that upward of 250 young people will sit down to supper after which there will be a special program, an address by Rev. Dr. S. Van Ness, Stockton, Cal., and Rev. E. S. Tucker, pastor Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church, Oakland.

This will be the annual election of officers of the society and the award of banner for the highest attendance by the meeting. The banner is now held by the Alameda Baptist Church.

First Baptist Church—Horatio J. Vosburgh, minister, 11 a. m., "Man's Flesh, Lust and Greatest Need," 7:30 p. m., "The Immortal Hope."

The Easter music of the First Baptist Church, at both the morning and evening services, was considered the best that has been given at this church, and in response to the very general demand several of the choirs selected will be repeated tomorrow evening and the pastor, Rev. H. J. Vosburgh, will preach on a resurrection theme.

SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ (Scientist), Franklin and Seventeenth streets—Services today at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., Subject, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Wednesday service, 8 p. m.

Theological Service, corner Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, second floor, tonight, at 8 o'clock. A lecture by Mrs. Bassett, entitled "The Use of Rain," will be read by Mrs. Shaw.

UNITARIAN.

First Unitarian Church, corner Fourteenth and Castro streets—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Rev. George W. Stone, field secretary of the American Unitarian Association for the Pacific Coast, will speak on "Live Subjects."

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Household of God, on Fourth avenue, between Castro and Fifteenth street, East Oakland—Elder G. E. Clegg, pastor. The world has come to take pastoral care of the flock of God in the absence of Elder W. F. Manley, who is going East for the summer, will have charge of the services today. All the children of God are invited to hear him, 10 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 7:30 p. m. We will partake of the Lord's Supper at the night service.

C. W. Shaw will speak in the First Spiritual Church, on Athens avenue, near San Pablo avenue, Sunday evening, April 7th, 7:30 p. m. The Rev. G. Speicher, M. D., of the Christian Catholic Apostolic Church in Zion will speak in the usual meeting place, Sunday, April 7th, at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. Special discussion. All are invited.

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Really, the guides of Fashion should have given this season's beautiful styles some new names. To talk of Etons, Pony Suits, Jacket Suits and the like does not do justice to the handsome gowns that we are now displaying. The general principles of these popular models are followed, but that is all.

The mixtures are new, the colors are new, the trimming designs are new—there is a new satisfaction in every detail.

The new season's Tailored Suits present a choice of all the new solid colors, the very best only of the novelty mixtures, checks and plaids. The materials are Voiles, Panamas, Broadcloths and novelty weaves.

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Quite an improvement over the old-style Wrappers—they have been brought strictly up to date with low-cut neck and short sleeves and neat belts; materials are the prettiest of percales and ginghams, shepherd checks, stripes, neat figures, and in plenty of colors, light and dark. Prices are \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and to \$2.25.

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The English "Piccadilly" garments for young people have so much to recommend them that their popularity is assured for a long time to come.

We are particularly enthusiastic over these English "Piccadilly" Coats and Suits because of their adaptability to figures of unnatural development, substituting a graceful and erect appearance to the wearer, while to those fortunate in possessing a normal physique they enhance the natural beauty of the form.

Stylish box coat suits in bold checks and also light grays, navy and mixtures, for misses up to 20 years—\$12.50, \$13.50 and to \$25.00.

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Investigation Purifying the Official Air in San Francisco.

THE KNAVE

Something About the Informers in City Across the Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—For a long time the only tangible result, so far as the public knew, of the graft investigation was the setting afloat through the newspapers of numerous stories affecting various persons and corporations. These stories lacked definiteness and substantiation, and hence came to be regarded by many as more conjecture and suspicion than anything else.

Many honest men resented their publication and constant reiteration as a libel on the fair fame of the city, and came in time to regard them as empty fulminations. It did look as if Heney and Langdon were bluffing and talking of crimes and corruption they could not prove.

But at last the evidence has been produced. Many of the grafters have confessed their guilt. The details of a vast system of wholesale bribery and graft are now laid before the public as established facts. The reality is even worse than the predicted revelations indicated. That it is a disgrace to San Francisco cannot be denied, but it is no greater shame to San Francisco than the boodling exposed by Folk was to St. Louis.

While it is a reproach to San Francisco that this conspiracy of corruption could have so long existed and so openly operated, the exposure of it is a good thing. If the prosecution does not break down, which seems most unlikely, a salutary lesson will be taught by sending a gang of brazen rascals to State prison. The politics of the city will be cleansed and official life purified for many years to come. Not the least wholesome result of the investigation is the stern discipline meted out to wealthy and respectable representatives of large business and corporate interests. Bribes and bribe-takers are alike under the avenging hand of the law.

What is now transpiring in the courts and the grand jury room this side of the bay will make San Francisco a better place to live in hereafter. The city has shown that if she has fostered and fed colossal thieves she still retains enough civic virtue and virility to punish their crimes and compel a return to honest and clean government.

While the fire of last April was an awful calamity, it wiped out the slums and consumed the rookeries, breeding places of crime, squalor and disease. With the vast stores of wealth were destroyed the things that were too foul and unsightly to survive.

It will be the same with the graft investigation. There will be a different standard of official integrity in future. Also a different standard for business men in dealing with the political representatives of the people. The political system of the city will no longer be patterned on the morals and methods of Ali Baba's forty thieves. Heney's efforts have shown how near a self-confessed boodler, a coarse receiver and purveyor of bribes, a shameless and servile tool of a venal brigand political chief, came to sitting as a judge of one of our highest courts. The investigation as a whole has aroused the citizens to a sense of the duty they owe themselves and the commonwealth.

Out of the muck now being turned up will grow a stronger body politic, a more robust and righteous public spirit. By putting forth the courage and resolution necessary to purge the city of crime and cast out crooks from its high places San Francisco has displayed a finer heroism than was exhibited in the harrowing days immediately following the great fire.

About the quietest public man in California is Congressman Julius Kahn. You haven't heard of him breaking any crockery or setting off any rockets lately, have you? Certainly, you haven't. Mr. Kahn wants to be overlooked just at present, and, like Br'er Rabbit, he is lying mighty low.

Not that Julius has done anything crooked or is suspected of doing anything crooked. He doesn't want to be dragged into the limelight and compelled to take sides. He is neither strenuous nor warlike, and is averse to committing himself when hard knocks and harsh words are flying around.

As an ally he is not like Sheridan at Winchester, but more resembles Grouchy, who had an engagement elsewhere when Napoleon was having his death grapple with Wellington and Blucher at Waterloo.

Kahn is a friend of Ruef's. He owes his seat in Congress to-day to Ruef's favor, but he has always avoided the appearance of being in political alliance with Ruef. He schemes to get the votes of the sons of Belial while posing as a shining exemplar of political purity.

That is why Julius is so still that a tick in Texas is a roaring lion in comparison.

When the last municipal campaign was on a plot was framed up to make Kahn declare himself definitely for Partridge or Schmitz. Ruef was willing for him to lie dead, apparently, but the fusion crowd were determined to force him to line up on one side or the other.

But Julius was too good an actor to be caught that way. He abandoned San Francisco and went off to Ohio to stump for the Republican ticket.

Ohio went headlong Democratic, but Kahn managed to keep out of the San Francisco mayoralty fight. Recent events explain

why he is whispering in the wings and keeping away from the front of the stage.

It is astonishing how many reformers Heney has caught in his graft net. Jim Gallagher was once a paladin of reform. That was when he and the other Gallaghers were hanging to Judge Maguire's coat tails in the hope of being landed close up to the pie counter.

Maguire used to think Gallagher was the real thing. So did Harry Creswell, who kept Gallagher for four years as chief deputy when he was City and County Attorney.

As soon as Gallagher entered the Board of Supervisors he became leader of the pack, taking three times as much as the other fellows and swiping five per cent as a commission for collecting bribes.

Gallagher was a Democrat till he became affiliated with the Union Labor party. He announced his conversion to Republicanism a couple of years ago, and was a candidate for Appellate Judge at the Santa Cruz convention. But for the efforts of Judge Henshaw he would have defeated Judge Kerrigan for the nomination. A nice pill he would be sitting on the appellate bench.

W. W. Sanderson was once a reformer. His father was once Mayor of San Francisco. Sanderson was one of the Republicans who followed Mayor Phelan when that gentleman was leading a reform movement in San Francisco. When Phelan's star waned Sanderson went over to the Union Labor party, and has followed Ruef ever since. He took his "bit" from Gallagher like the rest of the gang, and then squealed, along with his brother reformer, Boxton.

Frederick W. Eaton used to be an exemplar of purity in politics. He used to be a bell wether in non-partisan movements, and was particularly severe in his denunciation of bosses and political corruption. Yet he is director of a corporation that has been keeping Ruef on the payroll, and retained an agent whose business it was to fix Supervisors and other officials. Reform seems to have had some queer champions in its day.

It has been whispered around ever since the Santa Cruz convention that a conspiracy was afoot to down Senator Perkins when he comes up for re-election. This story could never be traced to any responsible source; nevertheless it kept cropping up mysteriously.

It made its appearance at Sacramento early in the session, being passed around by some of the wise ones. First one man and then another would be mentioned as the dark horse in waiting to take Senator Perkins' share of the white man's burden. Lately it has reappeared with Bob Devlin, United States District Attorney, as the man with the strawberry mark on his arm.

But there's nothing in it. Devlin is not in the game. He would like to be Senator, of course—so would Lieutenant-Governor Warren Porter—but he is not plotting to oust Perkins, who is his friend. And the plot itself is a fiction. Perkins apparently has a cinch for re-election. The organization is for him, and there is not even the nucleus of an organized opposition. None of the suggested candidates will make a fight against Perkins.

The grand opera season at the Chutes was a rather dismal attempt to live up to tradition. It failed, not because the San Carlo company is not a good one, but conditions made it impossible for the old-time glories of an opera season to be revived at the Chutes. The atmosphere of the Chutes is neither fashionable nor artistic. A place so far away from the center of the city, situated at the park entrances and surrounded by beer joints and cheap eating houses, cannot attract swell society nor tempt the display of bare shoulders, jewels and costly gowns so familiar during past seasons of grand opera.

On few occasions has the house been really filled, and the audiences are mixed. Many of the society notables stayed away or came dressed very plainly.

One trouble was the discomfort and inconvenience of getting to the Chutes in time and reaching home at any reasonable hour. Then the weather has been damp, raw and disagreeable. In years gone by a Grand Opera House audience on a fashionable night was a ravishing sight. Nothing like those old-time audiences were to be seen at the Chutes. San Francisco has not got back to grand opera form yet.

"Talk about your wild west; talk about your plains, Talk about your wild and wooly hold-up games; Well, they never were a marker to the Indians of today Who are tomahawking people up and down Broadway."

Yes, gentle reader, the merry bunco man, short-card manipulator, shell and pea artist, thimble-rigger, soft shoe dance, second-story worker, gold-brick salesmen and short-change men have taken possession of your own dear old Broadway. And they are as busy as bees selling their wares to the Ruben Glues

who come into Oakland from the suburbs on loads of hay with the good old cornhusk still sprouting from their hair and beards.

A stroll along Broadway a few days ago was a revelation to me. On all sides I saw familiar faces of the Barbary Coast and the haunts in the vicinity of Mason street, where the glad-hand confidence operators were wont to congregate. But you couldn't sell an acid-proof gold brick at the old stand, so the poor, over-worked bunco steerer has to do the best he can over in Oakland.

And, by the way, they tell me the pickings are swell on your side of the bay. Since the conviction of Big Foot Gordon the Alameda county harvest of suckers has practically remained virgin. Some of the choicest specimens of golden cubes have been disposed of during the past three months and the way they are boxing the cards and short-changing the uninitiated is something awful.

I heard they sold the City Hall to a policeman the other day, and that a member of the detective force is negotiating for an interest in a Mexican railroad that one of the thimble-riggers is going to float. The stock will be sold at the corner of Seventh and Broadway.

While I don't want to be knocking all the time, I would suggest that some kind and public-spirited citizen wake up Chief Wilson before his pipe goes out for good.

"Big Jim" Gallagher, the most contemptible of all the bribe-taking Supervisors, has the gall to eulogize his honesty and integrity every time he gets a chance, in spite of the fact that he is a self-confessed thief. The other day he was standing at the window of the new meeting-place of the Supervisors in "Doc" Leahy's building on Eddy street, between Powell and Mason, looking at the pool of stagnant water in the lot just opposite.

"I must have that water pumped out," he remarked. "I'll see Duffy about it at once. A stagnant pool like that is bad for the health of the city. It breeds disease."

Now, can you beat that anywhere in fact or fiction? Think of a walking pesthouse like "Jim" Gallagher referring to anything save himself as being bad for the public health! The only solution of his attitude to my way of thinking is that Gallagher has such a moral cold that he cannot smell the stench of his own infamy. In my time I have met men who inspired contempt; but I have never bumped into anything like Gallagher. As a man to be despised he is in a class all by himself.

Greed for money and petty power has compelled him to forsake not only the flickering spark of honesty that came with him into the world, but he has given up the God of his fathers as well, because he figured that the creed that went with his mother's milk might block his progress upward and onward. But his casting aside of what most men hold dear has availed him nothing. He now stands before the world not only as a self-confessed crook, but as an informer as well. And he is an informer of a purely original brand, for he did not merely divulge his knowledge of the crimes in which he participated, but he told on the men he taught to be thieves. Hence he is a combination of Fagin and Michael Feeney.

I am told that the rarest thing in the Pacific Union Club nowadays is a hearty laugh. The millionaires who make up that exclusive institution are nearly all involved in one way or another in the graft scandal now being eloquently and effectively exposed in all its nakedness by District Attorney Langdon and his untiring colleague, Francis J. Heney.

Whenever a real Ha! Ha! is heard its echoes flutter through the hall, the private rooms and even into the innermost caverns of the ice chest. Then the members get together and look with eyes of envy on the emitter of the Ha! Ha! figuring that he is in no fear of indictment. Some wag the other day put a sign up in the dining-room bearing the legend, "Honesty is the best policy." It was greeted with more tears than cheers or jeers.

To an outsider this condition of affairs in a palace of luxury such as the Pacific Union Club may not appear as tragically as to the members of that exclusive and ultra-respectable organization. To me it is sad beyond words. I used to enjoy dining at the Pacific Union, especially in the good old days when the well-fed and well-groomed members chatted as they dilated upon the probability of some half-starved mortal going to jail for a minor offense. Many of the men already indicted or in the shadow of an indictment were loudest in demanding that the law be upheld to the letter, and that justice be satisfied. They scorned a technical defense for wrongdoing. But those days have passed. Any kind of a loophole is in their eyes to-day a legitimate means of escape.

Have you seriously thought over the accomplishments of Langdon and Heney during the past few months? Men of the highest social and financial standing have been or will be indicted, and no indictment has been or will be found unless both Langdon and Heney are convinced that a conviction will follow.

If I told you a year ago that Louis Glass, head of the telephone company, would be indicted today you would have dubbed me a raving nut. But Glass is indicted.

At the last session of the Legislature two years ago a prediction that T. V. Halsey would be caught with the goods on would have been laughed at even by the statesmen who didn't accept his wishes.

Did any one dream that Mark Gerstle could possibly be involved in any way?

Then there's Thornwell Mullally, who for a year or more has been listed as the "best catch" in San Francisco society. A

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Mrs. John Wallace will entertain next Thursday afternoon at an informal card party to be given at her home on Vernon Heights. About thirty friends have been invited for this affair.

AT LUNCHEON.

Miss Margaret O'leary entertained yesterday afternoon at a luncheon and card party given at her home on Sixteenth street. The guests were all members of a card club.

S. S. S.

FOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Miss Mae Morton, the pretty fiancee of Edward Kinsey was the complimented guest yesterday afternoon at a delightful card party given by Mrs. Edward Foulkes. The guests were invited to play hearts, but "Stocking Shower" was whispered to everyone but the guest of honor.

The large drawing room at the left of the entrance was a mass of bloom, duchess roses and long trailing sprays of Lady Banksia, forming a floral bower. The shades were drawn and the lights making it appear like fairyland shining through the pink candle shades. The tally cards were hand-painted, cut in the shape of a bell, suspended by a pink satin ribbon, which was fastened with a rosette of pink tulle. Rosettes of the tulle decorated the table cards and the confectionery, which was heart-shaped, was served in tiny pink heart-shaped dishes.

The tally was kept by tacking tiny bells suspended on pink ribbons to the bottom of the bell-shaped cards.

The prize for the one making the highest score was a beautiful gold brooch of two interlinked hearts. A picture, entitled "The Bride," was given Miss Morton after the game, previous to the presentation of the dainty parcels containing the hostery.

Miss Morton was very much surprised when all the guests laid their dainty parcels tied in pink in her lap.

Among the guests were Miss Mae Morton, Miss Hazel McGraw, Miss Rena Scott, Miss Amy Hill, Miss Gertrude McGraw, Miss Florence French, Miss Marguerite Vesper, Miss Sue Hiestand, Miss Ethel Johnson, Miss Edith McGraw, Miss Ida Larkey, Miss Ida Scupham, Mrs. Bert C. Scott, Miss Florence Latta, Miss Edna Latta, Miss Thomas, Miss Helen Fresho and Mrs. W. Morrison.

S. S. S.

EBELL PROGRAM.

The photo appears today of Mrs. Hazel Gilbert Mackay, the talented pupil of Alice Gates who made her first appearance before an Oakland audience at the Ebell Club reception last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mackay's interpretation of four songs of distinctive character were a decided treat. The light, joyous aria "Deh Veine," from "La Nozze de Figaro," followed by the charming Musette waltz song from "La Boheme," and the exquisite Spring Song of Oscar Wilde showed an intel-



MRS. R. J. MACKAY.

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ligent and secure technique. The Culen, Gladys Lincoln, Master Clyde Adams, Lloyd Lincoln and Sydney Roberts.

S. S. S.

RUSKIN CLUB.

The Ruskin Club held a trades union dinner last Thursday evening at the Piedmont clubhouse. Covers were laid for thirty guests.

The chairman of the evening, A. A. Denison, extended a hearty welcome on behalf of the Ruskin Club to the representatives of the trades unions and other guests. Regrets were read from several of those invited who were unable to attend. After an interval of informal sociability the round table was conducted by C. W. Petry, president of the Alameda County Labor Council on Trades Unionism and Child Labor. Mr. Petry told of what had been accomplished and of the great work which yet remains to be done in taking children from the factories and the mothers from the sweatshops.

The highest score for ladies was by Mrs. Clarence Summers, and that of the gentlemen was held by Robert Mudge. Those present including the hostess were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Axtion, Mr. and Mrs. George Travis, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Summers, Robert Mudge and Mrs. Selma Noble. The next meeting will be held at the Piedmont home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Summers.

S. S. S.

CHILDREN'S PARTY.

Little Miss Gladys Lincoln entertained Friday afternoon at a birthday party. Those present were Miss Dona Watson, Edna Hill, Ruby McGraw, Isabell Moore, Florence Moses, Maude Roberts, Antonette Breschall, Lila

After the exchange of humor and anecdote with the desert there was the usual recess and upon reassembling the company listened to an admirable discourse by Walter Macarthur, editor of the Coast Seamen's Journal, on the Common and Diverging Ground of

Mrs. Jones was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. S. E. Knowles of San Francisco, Mrs. Ferris of Pasadena, Mrs. William Seeley, Mrs. C. F. Fischer, Miss Mary Marsh, Mrs. Edmund Taylor, and a group of young girls who assisted in serving tea were Miss Anna Evans, Miss Ruth Seeley, Miss Fischer, Miss Mary Fischer, Miss Horton, Miss Hazel Horton and Miss Ruth Bell of Cleveland, Ohio.

During the afternoon a musical program was rendered, consisting of a piano solo by Miss Ruth Bell, a recitation by Miss Florence Schroth, a piano solo by Miss Fischer, and song by Leslie Taylor.

Mrs. Edmund Taylor was the accompanist. In the evening an informal dance was enjoyed by the young girls who assisted and an equal number of young men.

S. S. S.

ELABORATE TEA.

Mrs. H. Isaac Jones was hostess at an elaborate tea at her beautiful East Oakland home last Tuesday afternoon. It was in the nature of a farewell to Miss E. Parker, of London, England, who, after a six months' visit here, returns in a fortnight to her home.

The hours were from 3 to 6, and over two hundred guests called to bid a pleasant adieu to the complimented guest.

The house was effectively decorated with the early spring blossoms, the yellow tone predominating in the dining room, while the reception hall was a bower of greens.

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S. S. S.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Last Tuesday evening Miss Bertha Smoother was hostess at a delightful party given in honor of her sixteenth birthday at her home in North Oakland. A number of her young friends attended, each bringing her a pretty gift appropriate to the occasion. A supper was served at midnight, after which the guests departed wishing the little hostess many happy returns of the day.

S. S. S.

SEXTON-DOW.

The marriage of Miss Nettie Sexton and Edwin Dow took place last evening at the home of the bride's father, 3118 Washington street, San Francisco.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Eldredge, of Calvary Presbyterian Church, in the presence of a small company of friends and relatives.

The bridesmaids were Miss Lucile Levy and Miss Lavinia Gusting. Little Betty Dow attended as flower girl. Dow attended his brother as best man.

After an informal reception, Mr. and Mrs. Dow left for a wedding trip in the Grand Canyon of the Colorado.

S. S. S.

DANCING PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens entertained a merry party at their Piedmont home last evening in honor of Miss Lillian Penberthy.

After an elaborate dinner, dancing was enjoyed in the new ballroom at the Havens home.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newall, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Penberthy, Miss Blanche Penberthy, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Challen Parker, Miss Avis Sterling, Miss Edith Coffin, Miss Marion Walsh, Miss Grace Craig, Miss Jennie Morgan, Miss Gladys Wickson, Walter Leimert, Harold Seyd, Ed Aiken, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dr. and Mrs. Procter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm, Mr. and Mrs. Dickmann, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bates Jr., Gardner Morgan, Miss Ida Miller, Miss Clarissa Lohse, Walter Bush,

Trades Unionism and Socialism. Mr. Macarthur says that he believed Socialists and trades unionists differed more in method than in purpose and that the point of divergence was often due to a misunderstanding. The address was followed by questions and answers, and a general discussion, which was participated in by Cameron King Jr., Walter V. Holloway, Jack London, Calvert C. Snoot, the Rev. Christopher Russel, D. P. T. Gray and others. The proceedings of the evening were interspersed with a number of songs and at the conclusion the chairman thanked Mr. Macarthur on behalf of the club for his able address and the broad and liberal spirit which it expressed.

Among those who participated in this enjoyable affair were Walter Macarthur, Charles W. Petty, Edward Meyer, Rev. Christopher Russel, Harry L. Stoddard, Newark Lax, Albert Gifford, F. C. Russell, Harry Dumont, Alfred W. Newman, Herbert Stoltz, J. Geddes Lyle, S. H. Beach, Everett N. Byran, Jack London, Halvor Hauch, W. V. Holloway, F. W. Heyland, David L. Lyon, Carl Hoffman, T. P. D. Gray, Cameron H. King Jr., George Sterling, Rev. C. C. Snoot, Mr. Reid, C. D. Rogers, David L. Beattie, Gilbert Robertson, A. A. Denison and Frederick I. Bamford.

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MISS ANNE LOUISE DANIELS.

John Engs, Otto Engs, Dr. Kefad, Charles Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Barron, Harold Yorke, Joseph Morris, Freeman Bowley, E. de Golla and Percy King of San Francisco.

S. S. S.

DRAMATIC RECITAL.

Miss Esther Macomber will give a dramatic recital Friday evening, April 12, under the auspices of the Eight-avenue M. E. Sunday school at the church, corner of Eighth avenue and East Seventeenth street.

Miss Macomber will be assisted by Miss Susan Waterman, Miss C. Freeman, Mrs. Mabel Walker Murrell, Herbert Graham and Vernon Hawley.

S. S. S.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Sadie Hetherington was the complimented guest at a birthday whist party given last Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Fitzpatrick and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schaffer.

At midnight supper was served, covers being laid for Miss Hetherington, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Larken, Mr. and Mrs. C. Whitney Castell, Mr. and Mrs. M. A.

The date for celebrating the nuptials will be announced later.

S. S. S.

OAKLAND CLUB.

The choral section of the Oakland Club will meet Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. N. A. Townsend at 909 Union street.

S. S. S.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement of Miss Ethel Petry and Roland C. Mitchell was announced yesterday afternoon at an "at home."

Dainty place cards, specimens of the hostess' skill, imparted the secret to her guests.

Miss Petry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Petry. Mr. Petry is president of the Central Labor Council. Mr. Mitchell, formerly an officer of the United States navy, is at present East visiting with his parents and attending business interests there.

Miss Daniels will give a concert in Alameda April 18. She will be the soloist at the Orpheus Club concert at Yé Liberty Theater April 22, and

Fitzpatrick, Mrs. W. S. Hinds, Miss J. McLaren, F. Hussey.

S. S. S.

ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement is announced of Miss Grace Ryan and Frank Murphy.

The bride-to-be is a daughter of Captain Martin Ryan and both young

people have a host of friends here.

The wedding will take place late this month in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, the Rev. Father Dempsey officiating.

The groom-elect is a young business man of this city.

S. S. S.

HOME WEDDING.

The marriage of Miss Grace Spink and Dr. Maurice Green was solemnized March 18 at the home of the bride's parents on Nineteenth street. The wedding was a quiet affair, only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom being present at the ceremony.

The bride is a charming and accomplished young woman, and by her pleasing and gentle manners has won a host of friends.

Dr. Green is an eminent dentist of this city and is well known in fraternal and social circles around the bay. He graduated from the University of California in 1891, with honors. While at college he took an active part in all university activities.

The young couple will reside in Alameda.

S. S. S.

SINGER RETURNS.

Miss Anne Louise Daniels was most enthusiastically welcomed on her first public appearance since her return from Europe. The occasion was the reception tendered Congressman Knowland by the Unitarian Club of Alameda Wednesday night. Miss Daniels had been studying in Europe for five years, except for the last fifteen months, when she appeared in public with great success in the following places: Berlin, Hamburg, Darmstadt, Mainz, Dusseldorf, Halle, Stuttgart, Stettin and Königsburg, Germany; Prague, Bohemia; Vienna, Austria; Bucharest, Roumania; Copenhagen, Denmark; Zurich, Switzerland; Stockholm, Sweden; Helsinki, Finland, and St. Petersburg, Russia. She now has contracts for most of the year beginning July 1, which include Budapest, Dresden, Munich and London, and which she expects to return in May to fill.

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O'CONNOR, MOFFATT & CO.

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We have just received a large stock of Portieres in Rep, Mercerized, Arimures, Silk, Brocaded Plush, Coth of Gold and other novelty textiles, ranging in price from, pair \$4.00 to \$30.00

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An immense variety of patterns in many new and beautiful designs. Prices ranging from, pair \$2.00 to \$5.00

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We wish to call special attention to a large and handsome stock of Couch Covers, which have just arrived. The assortment consists of Turkish, Persian, Bagdad, Gobelin, Tapestry and Mission designs, fringed and hemmed, in a large variety of colors. Prices, each \$3, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6, \$7.50, \$8.50

BROCADED VELOURS

In several shades of reds and greens; 50 inches wide. Price, yard \$1.75

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We carry a complete stock of Braids, Laces and Motifs for making Curtains and Door Panels, which we make to order at reasonable prices.

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WHITE WOOLEN DRESS GOODS

In new and staple weaves for Spring and Summer, consisting of Panamas, Batistes, Poplins, Prunellas, Henriettes, Voiles, Eolichenes, Marquisettes, Castillennes; also Chevron Suitings for tailor-made suits.

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In black and white, brown and white, blue and white, green and blue; also small blocks in light and dark colored effects; full 38 inches wide; yard 60c

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Phantom checks, self-colors, in new shades of gray, cadet, royal, navy, myrtle, tan, brown, cardinal and garnet; 42 inches wide; yard 75c

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In this department we have just opened a large stock of Spring styles in Fancy Shirts, Night Shirts, Pajamas, Collars, Cuffs, Neckwear and Underwear.

MEN'S MUSLIN NIGHT SHIRTS

Neatly trimmed, military collar; each 50c

MEN'S HEAVY TWILLED MUSLIN NIGHT SHIRTS

Cut very full; each \$1.00

MEN'S PAJAMAS

Made of new materials; latest patterns. Prices, suit \$6.25 to \$3.00

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will also appear at the Ebene Club's afternoon, April 28. Miss Daniels is the daughter of T. G. Daniels, owner of the Alameda Argus, and grew to womanhood in the Eneinal City, where she enjoys great popularity both on account of her musical talent her social qualities and unaffected manner.

WEDDING DATE.

The marriage of Mrs. Lillian McJunkin and George Pascoe will take place April 17 and will be a church affair. The bride will wear a traveling suit of gray with a hat to match.

The bridesmaid will be Miss Nellie Watson.

After a honeymoon trip the couple will reside in Berkeley.

A RECEPTION.

Mr. and Mrs. August Poeller entertained recently at a delightful reception given at their home on Ninth Street.

J. J. McElroy acted as toastmaster of the occasion. The guests were Frank Barnes, Dr. O. D. Hamlin, Eugene Stachler, Emilie C. Hahn, R. Schuyler, William Durkin, William Darrell, H. Thaler, H. Welking, W. Hammond, J. J. Connolly, William J. Hennessy, Edward Barrett, A. Springer, A. Ingelhardt, J. Jochem, James G. Quina, George Gilbert, G. Polk, G. Detche, Edward Hughes, W. Cohn, Dr. H. W. French, William Neary, Daniel W. Dooley, F. Beaudry, W. J. Baccus, R. Hatchor, W. Bruns, W. Wlking, J. Schorr, W. Brockendorfer, J. J. Carroll, James Long, J. M. Kelley, J. D. Mulgrew, R. J. Callaghan, J. F. Hinck, J. O'Neill, H. Lefler, Frank Ahern, Don Murdoch, Frank Kerle, Charles Stoll, Frank Alexander, E. Egenberger, Joseph Kramm, H. Morrison.

RAWLINS-NICHOLAS

On Wednesday, April 24, wedding bells will ring for Miss Florence May Rawlins who will plighted her troth with Peter Harman Nicholas of Oakland. The wedding will be solemnized



MISS FLORENCE MAY RAWLINS.

ed at high noon in St. Mary's church, States and Canada the young couple where the Rev. Father Dempsey will officiate Agnes Nichols will be bridegroom and Edward Rawlins best man.

The bride-to-be is a dashing blonde of charming personality. She is a gifted musician, having given many public recitals in this city, where she has a host of friends.

The groom-to-be is a mechanical engineer and a graduate of St. Mary's College.

After a brief tour of the Eastern

night, when refreshments were served. The invitations and programs were in keeping with the occasion.

MARCH WEDDINGS.

The marriage is announced of Miss Ray Sterns and Harry Linden, which took place Sunday, March 12, in Alameda. The Rev. H. N. Schoenfeld officiated.

The Rev. Schoenfeld was again the officiating clergyman at the marriage of Miss Badie Cohn and Ben Dreyer, which took place March 26 in this city.

SKATING PARTY.

Master Carlton Kendall entertained a party of young friends last Friday afternoon at the Lakeside rink. The guests enjoyed a luncheon afterward at the home of the host on Jackson street.

Among those who participated in this affair were Berenice Collins, Berita Fisher, Jeffrey Citron, Russell Macdonald, Miriam Weis, Clifton Gordon, Evelyn Johnson, Ethyl McFarland and Robert H. Bowles.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Randolph are enjoying a two weeks' visit in Southern California.

Mrs. Rawlings and Miss Jose Rawlings are in their attractive bungalow at Los Gatos.

The Wallace Alexanders have opened their home in Los Gatos for the summer.

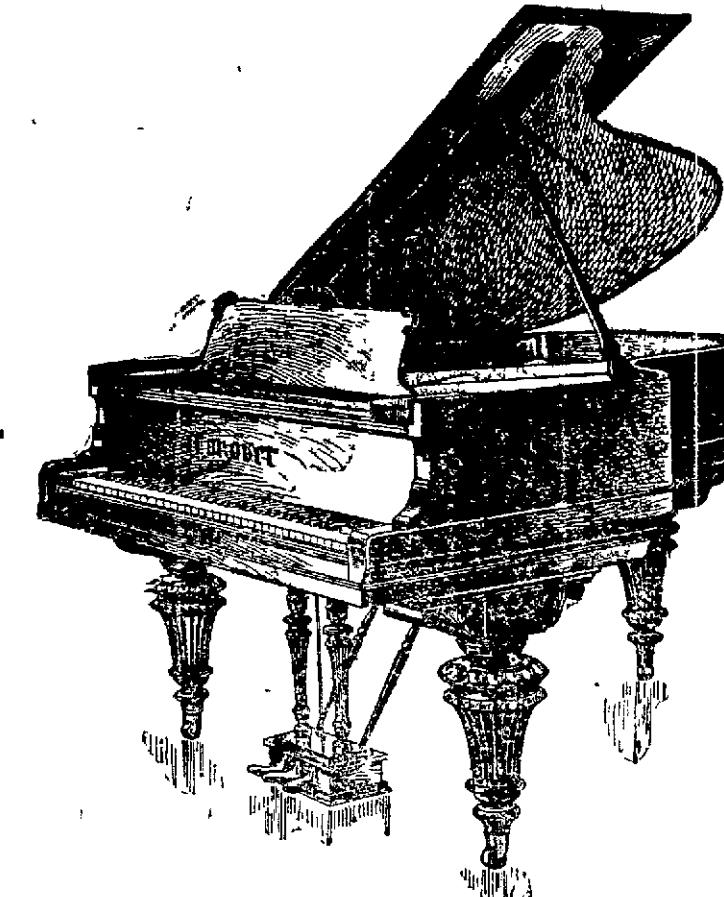
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald will occupy their own home on Albion street after a stay with the Thomas Crollins.

The R. A. Brajs have sold their artist's Piedmont home to Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Whitehead and are at the Butlers' home for the present.

Midshipman Victor Metcalf Jr. is visiting here for a few weeks and will join his ship in June, after almost a year's leave.

The A. L. Stones are enjoying their new home at Burlingame.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldeck Eiers, nee Fuller have returned after their honeymoon trip.



SAVINGS

Special for the next thirty days. We have been accumulating a large number of second-hand and slightly used pianos, including most all of the old standard makes, which have been taken in exchange on the Combination Heine Player Piano that we are going to close out this month to make room for our large spring shipment of Heine Pianos and Piano Players and other standard makes which will arrive here about May 1st. We have made our profit on the Piano Player, which is a small wholesale profit, therefore, you will buy these instruments for exactly what they cost us. We need floor space. Come early and select one. Sale begins April 8th at 9 o'clock a.m. This is a grand opportunity to get a high-grade piano for next to nothing or if you wish a new instrument bear in mind that we can save you money as we are Manufacturers. When you buy a Heine Piano you buy it wholesale, you pay the actual cost of making it with only our wholesale profit added. When you buy a piano, as many people do at retail, you pay Retail Dealers' high store rent and other expenses; you pay his profit. The retail profit on pianos is usually not less than \$100.00; oftentimes it is as much as three. This is what you save by buying Heine Pianos direct from the Manufacturers. Is this not worth saving? Our experience has been a great success. In twenty years there has been over 27,000 Heine pianos manufactured and sold. Every Heine Piano sold is guaranteed for a lifetime, and if not satisfactory the money is refunded.

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| Two Webers, one large size | \$45 and \$60 | |
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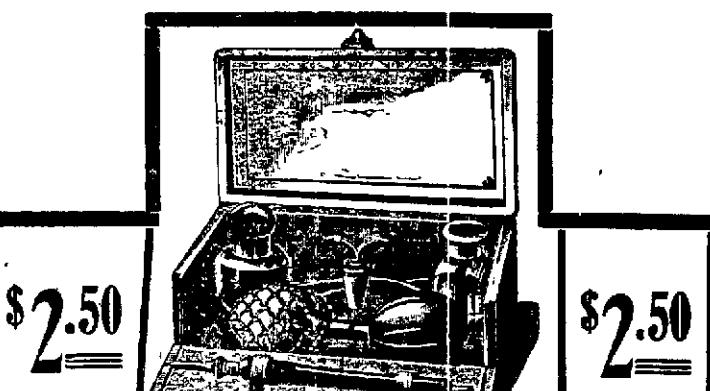
DENVER IS IN NEED OF MANY HOMES

DENVER, Pa., April 6.—So great is the need of dwelling houses in this place that prominent citizens have taken steps for the organization of home syndicates to secure vacant blocks. Dozens of families are ready to move into the town to get work in the factories, but there are no houses to accommodate them.

The silk mill has a number of looms and the shoe factory is turning out orders and cigar factories are running night and day. The house question has become a serious proposition, and a public meeting will likely be called to take measures to relieve the situation.

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TROPHY

AN AWARD OF FINEST
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The next few weeks will divulge to the art-lovers, whether of Oakland, or of the rest of the world, that Alameda County can show the grandest collection of beautiful and finely formed women that this earth possesses. It is a sure thing, now, that THE TRIBUNE best-arm show is to be a triumph. This daily newspaper will be theater of display of Dame Nature's most exquisite handicraft.

When it was determined to have an exposition of lovely arms here, the fear was rife that girls and women who would expose noble contours in arm taper at restaurants, parties, operatic performances and other away-from-home places, would be chary of allowing reproductions of their arms in a public print. However, that doubt is now dispelled, for, notwithstanding specimens already published in these columns, this journal has on hand types of

tuated the ladies is not wholly mercenary, for there seems to be a disposition regnant to participate in the rivalry for the good of mundane art.

"I shall help promote your arm tourney," writes a Berkeley society leader to Phidias, "for I can't see anything wrong in so doing, and all of us have a little vanity when we know that the gods have been kind to us in bodily charms. My arms, and shoulders are admitted to be virtually peerless in development, and I am anxious to ascertain just how they and my neck and face will 'loom up' in your excellent medium of enlightenment."

"My little girl is very prettily formed," writes a mother dwelling on a farm in the other end of this county. "She is only thirteen years old, but her age will not exclude her from your contest, I am certain. So, Phidias, Editorial Department, OAK-

arms that will make soul of artists jubilant.

Volunteers for this arm feast have been recruited from department stores, modest domiciles and aristocratic mansions, and the inrush of candidates has just fairly begun.

It is not altogether the prizes that THE TRIBUNE offers which have provoked this concrete interest in the undertaking. True, the award of one dozen pairs of silken hose for the super-best arm is not a small incentive when the price of that gift, \$50, is considered. Also, the lure of a box of gloves for the daintiest, quaintest pose is something of an influence in behalf of the enterprise. But the spirit which ac-



MISS EMMA NORMAN

AN OAKLAND RESIDENT, WHO HAS VOLUNTEERED

LAND TRIBUNE, I want you to be bared to shoulder in the pictures enter! for competition in order to my address, right away." Phidias will repeat: Arm must hear from you without delay.

NEW BANK ON THE AVENUE

Will Locate in the McNear Building on San Pablo Avenue.

The new McNear building which is located on the northeast corner of San Pablo avenue and Seventeenth street, has a corner consisting of three stores. They have just been leased through the Holcomb Realty Company for a long term of years to the Industrial Banking & Trust Company, which will open on July 1 next for the purpose of conducting a general banking, trust and safe deposit business.

This new bank will have an authorized capital of a half-million dollars and to prove the faith it has in the progress of Oakland will spend about \$20,000 in fixtures and vaults. These vaults will not only be absolutely fire-proof but will also be fitted with an electric burglar alarm, which is one of the modern banking features.

Another matter of importance to the residents of Oakland is the fact that a part of the capital of this bank is "outside money," which goes to show the great amount of interest as well as faith in Oakland's future.

The organization of the bank is being carried on by Mr. A. H. Hawley, who is vice-president of the Roseville Banking & Trust Company, and is also interested in the Fort Sutter National Bank of Sacramento. Mr. A. L. Darrow, cashier of the Fort Sutter National Bank and other Sacramentoans are also stockholders of the new Oakland bank. Many Oakland merchants have identified themselves with this bank which bespeaks at once a marked degree of success for the new institution.

Incidentally, the Holcomb Realty Company is to be congratulated for the successful outcome of its persistent effort, which is so important an event in the steady growth of the Market street of Oakland—San Pablo avenue.

BANKER HAS A QUEER MISHAP

Tilted Chair Too Far and in the Fall Breaks Some Ribs.

LOS ANGELES, April 6.—Because he tilted back his office chair a little too far yesterday afternoon, J. F. Sartori, president of the Security Savings Bank, lies in bed with two ribs fractured and several bruises on his side. Sartori, who is one of the best known business men of the city, long ago formed the habit of tilting his chair. This time the spring broke and he went over backward, his side coming in contact with the sharp edge of a counter, while the arm of the chair struck his chest. It was at first feared there were serious internal injuries, but his physician reports that he will be back at the bank in two weeks. The accident is one of the most peculiar that has occurred here in a long time.

FATAL INJURED IN
CROSSING COLLISION

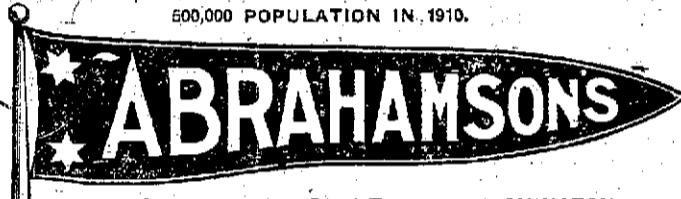
CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 6.—As the result of a collision here today at a street crossing between Seaboard Air Line train No. 4 and a street car, two persons were fatally injured and four seriously hurt.

TOWN TALK.

This week's Town Talk contains several exclusive stories that have come out of the great investigation. One of them deals with the question: "Who was the first to come to the Shetland Isles?" and his name is not longer known. How Supervisor Walsh was induced to "give up" is one of the interesting stories. "The worship of Rue" is the title of a very interesting editorial.

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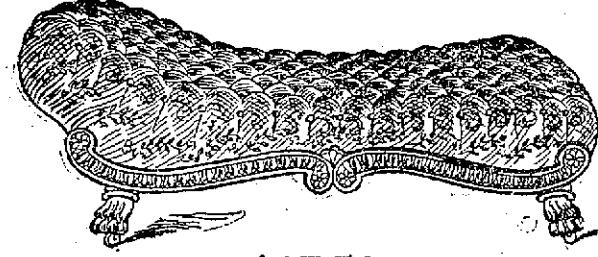
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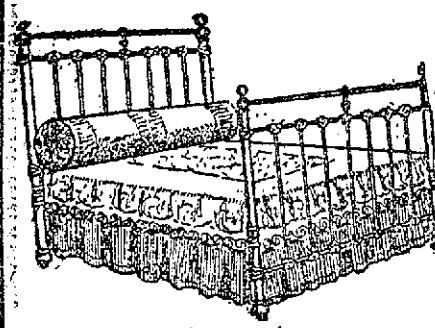


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The poisons that are used most frequent by the doctors are morphine, cocaine, mercury, arsenic and potassium. These are the ones that are used to stupefy the nerves and are responsible for thousands of drug fiends who get the habit through the use of drugs containing dope for the relief of some chronic disease. Another might cure the disease, but the drug habit stays with you always.

The last three poisons—mercury, arsenic and potassium—are used in treating nearly all disorders and diseases of the blood, stomach and digestive organs.

You know mercury is quicksilver, and when it gets into the body it stays there. It destroys the digestive juices and eats out the lining of the stomach.

Mercury, a poison to the digestive organs, makes the eyes weak, causes nervousness and irritates the stomach. Potash destroys the walls of the stomach and produces terrible headaches, makes the blood thin and irritates the eyes, nose and throat.

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A background effect covered partially by artistic grill-work will give the scenic paintings a realistic appearance. The furnishings as well as the fixtures and finishings will be of the finest, and the silverware will be of the highest class obtainable.

A rally room in the basement will be provided for the students of the University. It will be handsomely fitted up and will be decorated in a Rathskeller effect.

The electric chandeliers of the main cafe upstairs will be in the shape of footballs, as Newman will continue to cater to the students.

The new building will be ready for occupancy in six weeks.

STUDENT DIES AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

BERKELEY, April 6.—Horace Daniel Chase, a student at the University of California and son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Chase of 1901 Bonita avenue, died at his home last night after an illness of one month. The funeral will be held Saturday from the family residence and the body will be taken to Mountain View Cemetery for cremation.

The young man is survived by his mother and father, a brother John F. and three sisters, Lillian, Adella and Chase and Mrs. H. J. Brumley. He was a native of Vermont, aged 20 years.

WILL ADDRESS MEN'S MASSMEETING TODAY

BERKELEY, April 6.—Rev. G. W. White, D. D., pastor of the Wesley Methodist church, will be the speaker at the mass meeting for men to be held at Stiles Hall, Alston way and Dana street, tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. His theme will be "A Modern Christian."

ASSESSOR WHARFF REPORTS

BERKELEY, April 6.—With but four days more to serve, Town Assessor Fred L. Wharff reports that the work of making the assessment for the year is well under way, and everything in ship-shape for his successor, Harry Squires, to carry the work to completion without difficulty. This work, which began March 4th, at first required the assistance of 20 deputies and emergency clerks. At the present time about ten are engaged, and the month the work has been in progress about three thousand returns have been made from property owners, as against 1900 for a like period last year. Wharff believes that at least 10,000 returns should be made before the time expires in August next, which is equivalent to saying there are 10,000 people in Berkeley who will figure in the next tax roll.

Assessor Wharff says he is after the shirkers, and wants it understood that the burden of the personal property tax is going to fall on this class, to the benefit of their more prompt brethren.

It may just as well be understood," says Wharff, "that the key-note of the policy of the Assessor's office is to reach those who have hitherto escaped personal taxes, through laxity or failure on their part to comply with the ordinance requiring them to make a return of their personal holdings. Where a man has displayed promptness in complying with the law, and filed his declaration he will be a gainer. The shirkers will find that arbitrary assessments will be made upon them that will make up for the consideration granted the other class. This is but right."

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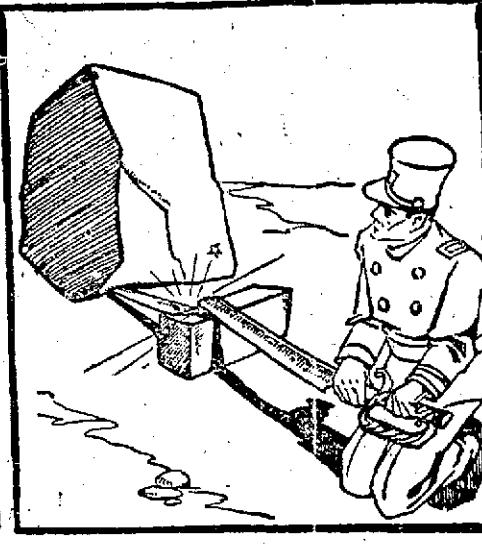
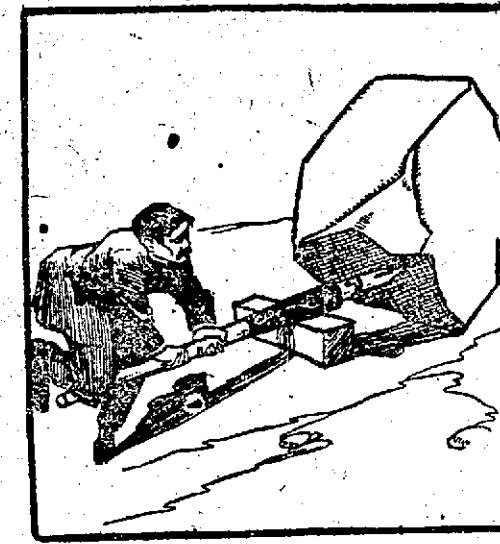
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5—\$25.00—TALKING MACHINE—From Oakland Graphophone Co., 472 11th Street.

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8—\$35.00—LADY'S ROOKWOOD WRITING DESK—From the Oakland Furniture Co., 532 Twelfth street.

9—\$30.00—MEN'S SUIT, LATEST SPRING STYLE—Winner's choice from the M. J. Keller Co., 1157 Washington.

10—\$27.00—AXMINSTER RUG, 9x12—From The Curtain Store, Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Exclusive Store for Curtains, Draperies, etc.

11—\$25.00—MORRIS CHAIR, "KINSEY KIND"—From the Kinsey Furniture Co., 627-629 Twelfth street.

12—\$25.00—DINNER SET, 100 PIECES—From Howell Dohrman, cor. Fourteenth and Washington streets.

13—\$25.00—VIOLIN—Kohler & Chase, dealers in Pianos, Musical Instruments and Sheet Music, 1013 Broadway.

14—\$20.00—GENTLEMAN'S SUMMER OVERCOAT—Elite Tailoring Co., Oakland's leading tailors and most popular men dressers, 1068 Broadway.

15—\$20.00—LADY'S WAIST—Winner's choice, M. Friedman Co., Cloaks, Suits and Waists, 1058 Washington street.

16—\$15.00—SUIT CASE—Winner's choice from the Oakland Trunk Factory, 56 San Pablo avenue.

17—\$15.00—ANTIQUE BRASS JARDINIER—From The Fuji Co., importers of Japanese Art Goods, 961-963 Washington street.

18—\$12.50—BOX OF 100 EL CARMEL CLEAR HAVANA CIGARS—From the L. D. M. Cigar Co., 716 Telegraph avenue, cigar manufacturers.

19—\$10.00—LADY'S HAT, LATEST SPRING STYLE—Winner's choice from The Broadway Millinery Store, 963 Broadway.

20—\$10.00—BOY'S SUIT—Winner's choice from Smith's Boys' Shop, Washington street, cor. Tenth street.

21—\$10.00—FRAMED PICTURE—E. J. Sasse, Picture Mouldings and Frames, 9-13 Telegraph avenue.

22—\$10.00—ONE LADY'S SILK WAIST—James A. Joyce, 955-957 Washington street.

23—\$10.00—ONE HALF DOZEN PAIR MEN'S SILK HOSE—Best Clothes Shop, Clothes, ready made of the best and men's hats and furnishings, 1062 Washington street.

24—\$10.00—BOY'S SUIT OF CLOTHES—The Hub, Eleventh and Broadway.

25—\$10.00—TRAVELING TRUNK—Osgood's Drug Stores, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets.

26—\$ 7.50—ONE MANTEL CLOCK, GOLD TRIMMED—J. Treager, watchmaker and jeweler, 858 Washington street, near Seventh.

27—\$ 7.50—LADY'S TRIMMED HAT—Ella P. Coakley, Millinery Parisian Models and Domestic Novelties, 1165 Washington street.

28—\$ 8.00—THREE PIECE STAG HANDLE CARVING SET—Smith Bros., Hardware Company, Household Cutlery, Refrigerators, etc., 123 Broadway and 18 San Pablo.

29—\$ 8.00—ONE DOZEN PLATINUM FINISHED PHOTOGRAPHS—Belle-Oudry's Studio, Thirteenth and Washington.

30—\$ 6.00—GENT'S SMOKING JACKET—J. T. Moran, Gentleman's Clothiers and Furnishers, Eleventh and Broadway.

31—\$ 6.00—PAIR LADY'S FINE SHOES—Schneider's Shoe Store, 963 Washington street.

32—\$ 5.00—PAIR OF MEN'S SHOES—From the M. J. Keller Co., 1157-1159 Washington street.

33—\$ 5.00—SOLID SILVER BERRY SPOON—W. N. Jenkins, Jeweler, 1067 Broadway.

34—\$ 5.00—HEAVY CHASED MOUNTED FRENCH BRIAR PIPE—Bert Bercovich, wholesaler and retail tobacconist and吸烟者, southwest corner Broadway and Twelfth street.

35—\$ 5.00—ONE BISSEL CYCO. BEARING CARPET SWEEPER—Walter Mass, Hardware, Cutlery, Wood and Willow Ware, 1014 Washington str.

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36 to 40—PAIR OF HIGH-GRADE ROLLER SKATES.

41 to 50—STORY BOOK—For girls.

51 to 60—STORY BOOK—For boys.

THE KNAVE

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young woman worth \$8,000,000 has been trying to marry him for months. She has given balls, parties and dinners in his honor. Now Mullally is constantly shadowed by detectives. Langdon and Heney think he knows all about the wholesale bribing of the Supervisors. If he does and they can prove it he will go to jail.

Lawyer Pillsbury, who is said to have an awful pull with the Supreme Court, has told the grand jury what he knows of Ruef's hold-up of the telephone company, and Percy Morgan, head of the great wine association, explained his ignorance of the bribing of Supervisors by Halsey by stating that he was in Europe when the felony was committed.

Patrick Calhoun, head of the United Railroads, one of the most powerful individuals in the United States, and grandson of the great John C. Calhoun, is afraid to come to California because he knows he will be indicted as soon as he crosses the Nevada border.

A. K. Detweiler, an eastern multi-millionaire, is a fugitive from justice. He would have had any one who told him his face would decorate a police circular within a year after he secured the Home Company's franchise by bribing Supervisors.

Graves, a partner of Detweiler, is in hiding. An indictment will be ready for him just as soon as he is found.

Many of the most respectable members of the Los Angeles colony of millionaires are unable to sleep. They have a perpetual vision of the rock pile and the jute mill.

Tirey L. Ford, former Attorney-General and a man of un-

blemished character, looks pale and haggard. He is legal adviser for the United Railroads. He admits that Ruef was a constant caller at his office.

"Old Pop" Eaton, treasurer of the Pacific States Telephone Company, has been twice before the grand jury, and Zimmer, the auditor of that concern, may be indicted for possessing criminal knowledge of Halsey's bribes. Abe Ruef, the arch fiend, is a prisoner.

Henry T. Scott, they tell me, is tickled to death over the mess. Also doth he gloat over the downfall of the old Sabin ring headed by Glass and Halsey. The predicament of this twain is duck soup for Attorney Pillsbury, who hates Glass.

And think of that holy of holies, the campaign committee of the Fusion party, taking stuff right and left from any old corporation that would stand for a touch. And think of that pure, proud spirit, Fairfax Wheelan, son of old Pete Whelan, who used to graft under Sam Rainey, admitting that he countenanced a \$500 campaign contribution from the telephone boodlers.

You will remember that Gavin Mcab, who says he is the only honest man in San Francisco, was a leader of the fusion campaign which, according to Louis Sloss, accepted \$8800 from the bribe-givers to capture the primary and the general election of two years ago. The further the District Attorney probes into the reign of corruption that has flourished here the more startling is the result. Heney's determination to go after the old Mcab Board of Supervisors promises all sorts of sensational results, for Gavin's gang was just as crooked as Ruef's rats.

THE KNAVE.

ROOSEVELT IS TO BE FEATURE

POLO GAME AT THE LAKESIDE

Opening of Jamestown Exposition Will Be Sounded By 300 Guns.

NORFOLK, Va., April 6.—President Roosevelt is to be the feature of the opening of the Jamestown centennial exposition, the official program of which was announced today. The opening exercises, which will take place Friday, April 26, will begin at sunrise with a salute of 300 guns by the Norfolk Light Artillery, commemorating the 300th anniversary of the first English settlement of America.

The President is to reach the exposition grounds at 11:30 o'clock, after passing on the Mayflower through columns of saluting foreign and American warships in Hampton Roads. He will be escorted to the reviewing stand on Lees Parade in the rear of the Auditorium building. After an invocation by Rev. Alfred Magill Randolph, Harry St. George Tucker, president of the exposition company will introduce the President. When the President has concluded his remarks he will press a gold button and immediately the machinery of the great show will be in motion, a thousand flags will be unfurled upon the exposition buildings and a salute to the nation will be fired by the foreign American ships in the roads and by the garrison at Fortress Monroe. At the conclusion of the salute the exposition bands will play "The Star Spangled Banner," and the troops will "present arms" and the concourse will stand with uncovered heads.

The parade of soldiers and sailors of the United States under Major General Frederick D. Grant will be the next feature. The President will review the parade from a grand stand where also will be gathered the honored guests of the occasion, including the diplomatic corps, the official committees of the Senate and House of Representatives and the Governors of States, twenty of whom have accepted invitation to be present.

The day will close with a reception to President Roosevelt.

FORMER GOVERNOR PARDEE IMPROVING

Dr. George C. Pardee, ex-Governor of California, who was Friday compelled to take to his bed with a severe attack of the grippe, after having suffered for about a week with a bad cold, is feeling better this afternoon, although he will probably not be able to leave his bed for a day or so.

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Unusual enthusiasm has been displayed by those enjoying the popular sport on roller skates, in the polo game to be played at the Lakeside rink this afternoon.

The contestants in the event are composed of members of the Pavilion and Oakland teams, and as there is great rivalry between the boys the contest promises to be an interesting one. It has been some time since a polo game has been played at the rink and for that reason, if for no other, the audience will undoubtedly be large.

This evening and tomorrow evening ladies will be admitted to the popular amusement place free of charge.

Last night another of the popular graceful skating contests was held and was largely attended.

SHE PAID FOR HER LUNCHEON, TOO.

A woman of good social standing told this morning story: "I was invited to a luncheon and, after the meal bridge was suggested. I asked to be excused, but my hostess insisted I must play, with the excuse for possible visitors. I said, 'I can't. In fact, I can't every time, when I am trying to learn.' We had a pleasant afternoon, but the unpleasant part of the next evening came when the news that my hostess had sent him a bill for \$67, that being the amount which she wrote. I had last night heard that she was a woman who would want to have my hostess arrested for keeping a gambling house, but on second thought to avoid notoriety, I had sent her check for \$100, writing on the check, 'Bridge, \$67; luncheon, \$3,' and she says he will have great fun with the checker when it comes back from the bank that my hostess will have with the \$100."—New York Tribune.

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ANOTHER GLAD THAT HE ENTERED TRIBUNE CONTEST



W. M. BOEHMER.

W. M. Boehmer Tells of His Luck in Winning a Lot in Mastick Park Tract, Alameda.

Following is a self-explanatory letter regarding the luck of one person in THE TRIBUNE'S recent popularity contest:

MR. BOEHMER RECORDS DEED.

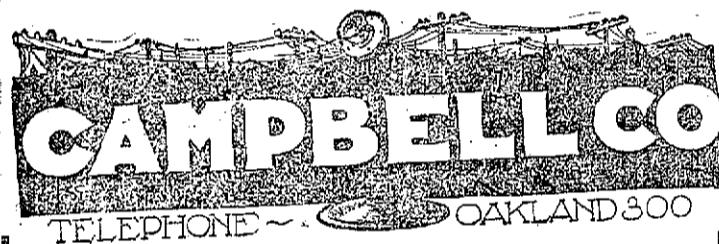
"Alameda, Cal., April 5, 1907.

"Editor of THE TRIBUNE:—I have just recorded my deed for lot in Mastick Park Tract, Alameda, which I won in your popularity contest. I do not regret the time and

work it cost me, for I was well rewarded.

"I desire to take this opportunity of thanking my friends for their kind treatment and assistance during my campaign for the lot also to express my satisfaction for the fair and square manner in which I was treated by THE TRIBUNE. THE TRIBUNE'S continued success is my wish.

"Sincerely,
W. M. BOEHMER,
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No. 6—Capacity 3 pints; regular 35c; special..... 25c
No. 5—Capacity 4 pints; regular 40c; special..... 30c
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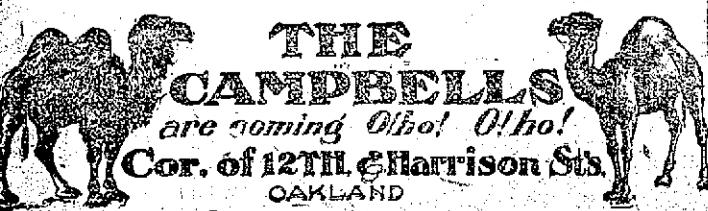
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COOL-HEADED RIVER SKIPPER

Prevents a Panic and Saves Passengers and Crew of Burning Boat.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Seven passengers and a score of the crew of the steamboat City of Troy, which was burned on the Hudson River at Dobbs Ferry, arrived early today. The passengers looked little the worse for their experience, but it was different with most of the crew.

They were asleep in their bunks when the fire was discovered, and as the quarters were close to where the fire started they had no time to get together their belongings. Several of the negro stewards when they got to New York had on only an undershirt, overalls, shoes and a blanket.

All agreed that Captain Bruder, the skipper of the City of Troy, had acted wisely in the crisis and was the bravest man on the boat, and it was not until the last person had been safely landed that he made his way through the smoke at the pier at Dobbs Ferry.

"I was in the engine room watching the machinery," said Carl Carlson, "when the fire was discovered. I immediately ran on deck and made my way to the bridge, where I informed Captain Bruder what was the matter. I never saw a cooler man than that Hudson River skipper. He did not lose his head for a single second. He called his officers to him and then ordered every man to the place assigned to him in the fire drill.

Then he made his way to the saloon where the passengers were and begged them to keep cool and trust to him to get them to land. He said that we were in danger, but that the greatest danger of all was a panic. Then the skipper rushed back to the bridge and guided the boat to the pier."

R. A. Keller, of Troy, N. Y., a passenger, confirms Carlson's story. "It was as cool piece of work as I have ever seen under such serious conditions," said he. "Meet me at the police station and I'll send you home," the skipper said as he hurried out of the saloon."

There were sixty-five passengers and a crew of forty-eight men on board the City of Troy and every one, according to the officers of the boat, are in safety.

GOSSIP ABOUT THE DUCHESS

Consuelo's Movements Are Uncertain—Not to Return With Her Father.

PARIS, April 6.—The report that the Duchess of Marlborough was to sail for New York some time this month, accompanied by W. K. Vanderbilt, her father, is apparently incorrect. At present the Duchess is at Sunderland House, London. On Tuesday she will return to Paris for two weeks. The duchess' mother, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, who was to have sailed for New York on the 10th, has canceled her booking on the steamer.

It was also rumored that the duchess was to have accompanied her mother on her return to America. Whether the duchess will sail for New York after her visit to Paris could not be learned.

WILL DEVELOP NAVAL TACTICS

General Board Planning New Strategies On Much Larger Scale.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The naval general board, the equivalent of the general staff of the army, is making arrangements to go in a body to Newport, R. I., early in June to preside over the development of a very important program in naval tactics and strategy on a large scale.

This subject will come before the war college there, and the general board deems it essential to the proper execution of its plans that all of its members, including Admiral Dewey, the president, should be present in person.

SCURVY IS NEW PEST OF RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, April 6.—Scurvy is making great strides in the famine districts. The official reports for the second fortnight of March show 1565 cases in Ufa province and 717 in Saratov, compared with 438 in Ufa the first fortnight of March and 556 in Saratov province during the same period. There has been a slight decrease in the spread of the disease.



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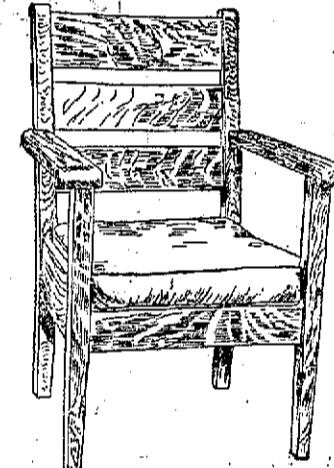
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6-foot W. O. Arts and Crafts, Bag Cushions, Regular \$145; special \$80.00

The last three Davenports are inlaid with wood of different colors and we have chairs and rockers to match at reduced prices.



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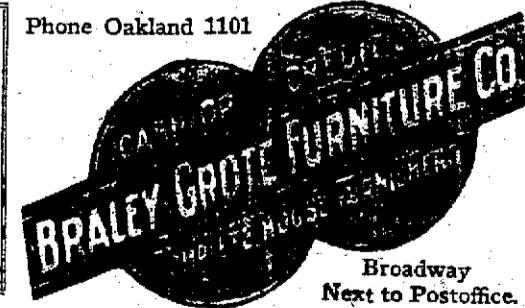
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Chair W. O. Leather seat; Regular \$22.00; special \$15.50
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Chair, W. O. Leather seat; Regular \$21.00; special \$11.75
Rocker, W. O. Leather seat; Regular \$25.00; special \$15.50
Chair to match; Regular \$24.00; special \$15.50
Rocker, Arts and Crafts; Regular \$70.00; special \$43.50
Chair to match; Regular \$65.00; special \$41.00
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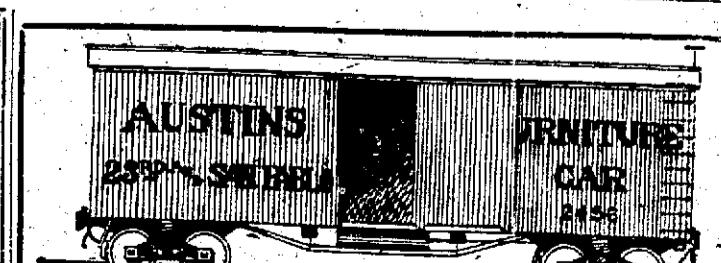
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GIRL MAY BE IN HANDS OF BOLD BANDITS

Campers Near Fresno Thought to Be Holding Child.

FRESNO, Cal., April 6.—Word has been received from Pine Ridge, a station in the Sierra Mountains 40 miles northeast of Fresno, that a party of campers believed to be the captors of Mattie Mosley, who was kidnaped March 27th, passed that point yesterday. The campers were evidently headed for the lumber camps, situated some fifteen miles

further back. The report is now being investigated.

The Sheriff's office is in communication with all the foothill towns and hopes to locate the child within a short time. Mattie Mosley was formerly a member of the children's chorus in the local Salvation Army and has numerous friends about the city who are assisting in the search for her.

MANY CORPORATIONS GAVE MONEY TO FUSION PARTY

Wheelan and Others Tell Grand Jury About Campaign Fund During Election of 1905.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Among the witnesses, today, before the grand jury which is looking into alleged municipal corruption, was Fairfax Wheelan, one of the leading citizens of this city, who was at the head and front of the San Francisco Republican League in the fusion campaign of 1905.

LOS ANGELES MAN.

J. T. Kelley a former politician of Los Angeles was also a witness before the grand jury. He was expected to shed some light on the deal by which the Home Telephone Company secured a franchise from the Supervisors in this city. He stated, however, that he knew nothing about it. It had been of assistance to the Home Telephone Company in Los Angeles, but he deemed that such was the case. He said that he had been in politics for some time, but that he had not dabbled in it for nearly seven years, and it seemed impossible for him to be considered as out of the game because he had once been in it.

FUREY RECALLED.

Supervisor J. J. Furey was recalled by the jury to give testimony for another indictment or two against Louis Glass, vice-president and general manager of the Pacific States Telephone Company. These indictments were practically found a number of days ago, but, because of one of them having been mistrial and the other containing some informality, they were not presented to the court.

WHEELAN'S TALE.

Wheelan admitted to THE TRIBUNE correspondent that he had told the grand jury that he had received \$800 from the Home Telephone Company with the understanding that that concern would be permitted to dictate the nomination of Supervisors in that campaign who would vote to grant the Home Telephone Company a franchise.

HELP FROM COMPANIES.

He was asked if the grand jury had asked him how much money other corporations had contributed to the fund and replied:

"The grand jury asked me how much had been contributed by each of the various corporations of this city and I replied that nearly all the

ANENT LAUNDRY STRIKE



THE LAUNDRY WORKERS ARE STILL OUT ON A STRIKE.

RAILROAD GAINS VICTORY OVER ITS TELEGRAPHERS

Men Granted Small Increase in Pay, but Lose Vital Issues They Raised.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—The Railroad Telegraphers in the employ of the employer shall not legislate for train dispatchers regarding rates of pay, hours of service, or otherwise. B. That the regular hours of service on Sundays shall be one-half the regular hours of labor on other days, provided that at any station where it is impracticable or inconvenient for the employer to arrange the service so as to give the employees leave of absence on full pay for twenty-six days per annum at such time or times as will cause the employer and the public the least inconvenience.

C. That the percentage of general increase in salaries of employees shall be seven and one-half (7 1/2) per cent; and that the apportionment of this general increase among divisions and subdivisions of the employer's lines shall be such as shall be mutually agreed upon by the employer and the Order of Railroad Telegraphers.

The decision was not what the telegraphers expected. It was not a surprise to them, however, as Professor Johnson has been ruling against them on most of the propositions that existed among the examination.

The decision was filed with the clerk of the United States Circuit Court by Clement Bennett, the secretary, shortly after noon. The commissioners accompanied him. The decision is as follows:

TEXT OF DECISION.

A. That the members of the order of

OAKLAND PRISON IS NO PLACE FOR THE YOUTH

Captain Peterson Gives Reasons Why We Should Have a New Local Bastile.

There is no place around the City Hall where the crying need of a new city building is more forcibly shown than is found in the conditions existing in the city jail and facilities accorded the police force in handling prisoners. In many respects the city jail is a disgrace to the city. It is not on account of any lack of discipline or dereliction in duty by members of the force, but the conditions existing in the jail are simply vile.

In the first place the jail has been in use more than twenty years, is old, dilapidated, unhealthy and unsanitary. When THE TRIBUNE reporter visited the jail yesterday 140 prisoners were incarcerated. There are accommodations for sixty. Friday evening about the average number of prisoners were confined in the prison, but Saturday nights, Sunday and Sunday nights often find as many as 180 people confined in quarters that resemble underground passage ways and tombs more than places in which human beings are supposed to at least have a chance to draw a breath of fresh air.

Besides about a dozen small dark cells and the women's department, there is one large room used for young boys brought in. Also four "tanks" the largest of which was not

more than 20x15 feet. In each of these rooms this morning were found from 13 to 28 men.

The ventilation is "nil" throughout and the man who is once locked up in the city jail, if he has one particle of decency, will reform his ways, or do something worse, so his incarceration will be in the county jail or State prison.

In speaking of conditions in the city prison Captain Peterson said: "There is absolutely no protection for the first term or youth who is locked up. He must associate with the most hardened criminals, and there is no way in which we can prevent it. We do not have the room to segregate prisoners."

"Then there is the reputable and respectable man who is detained as a witness, or stranger who may be thrown in on suspicion. He must go with the scum and hardened felon—there is no help for it. Prisoners who are taken sick must go to the county hospital, or those injured to the Receiving Hospital and there is a loss in time in getting medical attention that at time is serious.

"We should have a receiving hospital in the same building with the police headquarters, where all police business will come under one head, and the officers can look after every

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

Decision on Railroad Merger Case Will Go to the Department of Justice First.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—It prob-

ably will be several days before the Interstate Commerce Commission makes known its intentions in the matter of moving against the Harriman railroads as a merger operating in restraint of trade.

Chairman Knapp of the Interstate Commerce Commission said today that the Commission would not be in a hurry about entering a decision, but he said the record was voluminous and the matters involved were of great importance, the Commission therefore would proceed deliberately.

The evidence which the Commission has taken will go to the department of justice and there is excellent ground for saying that delay in starting prosecution will be just as brief as possible.

STRONG POINTS.

The trend of the arguments presented by the Harriman lawyers and of the replies by the attorneys for the Commission indicated plainly that both sides believe the strong point for the Government and the weakness for Harriman is in the contract between the Harriman system and the San Pedro system.

"We should have a receiving hospital in the same building with the police headquarters, where all police business will come under one head, and the officers can look after every

man was the most unfortunate thing that happened for the Union Pacific magnate since his feud with the President began. But for that, Harriman's promises to be good, taken together with the fact that some members of the Interstate Commerce

Commission are opposed on principle to criminal prosecutions under the Sherman act, might have availed to induce the Commission to give up prosecution. But such an outcome is said to be impossible after the Webster letter.

Succeeding developments have aroused the administration to the determination to employ every possible resource against Harriman. No quarter will be given.

As a result of the Harriman inquiry, which has engaged the attention of the Interstate Commerce Commission for the last three months, arguments in the case being concluded yesterday, this is the probable outcome.

Request of the commission for Congress to pass more stringent laws regarding the systems of bookkeeping employed by the railroads.

Investigation of the combination of railroads forming the Pennsylvania system, the Vanderbilt lines, the Rock Island, and the Hill lines.

The first thing to be done is to decide whether Harriman will be hauled into the Federal courts of Southern New York to answer certain questions which he refused to do in the New York inquiry. This probably will be determined in the near future and it is believed, will result in the proposed court proceedings.

STRONGER LAWS.

Request by the Commission for

WORLD'S FAIR BABY GETS HOME

Court Settles the "Incubator" Question.

Law Restores a Human Freak to Woman Who First Claimed It.

TOPHKA, Kan., April 6.—The Supreme Court today decided that Mrs. Charlotte E. Bleakley of Lawrence, Kansas, is entitled to the famous "incubator baby" exhibited at the St. Louis World's Fair. This reverses the decision of the Douglas County (Kansas) District Court and upholds the decision of the Circuit Court of Illinois, which held that Mrs. Bleakley is the mother of the child.

The decision ends a most interesting fight for possession of the baby, James G. Barkley, his wife, who were in charge of an exhibit at the World's Fair, saw the baby in the incubator concession. They traced his supposed parentage to Mrs. Bleakley, of Lawrence, Kansas, who was persuaded to sign a deed of adoption to Mrs. Barkley.

The baby had been placed in the concession by a St. Louis mid-wife, who, it developed later, had told Mrs. Bleakley that the child had been born dead.

Mrs. Bleakley, uncertain that the child was really hers, and wishing to aid Mrs. Barkley to gain possession of him from the mid-wife, signed the adoption papers. Later, Mrs. Bleakley, becoming satisfied that the child was her own, sought to retain it. The Illinois courts gave Mrs. Bleakley custody of the child. The Kansas District Court finally gave judgment for the Barkleys.

Eugene Watts, former commissioner of pensions, finally took Mrs. Bleakley's case before the Kansas Supreme Court.

CARNEGIE IS TO TAKE PART

With Other Notables Will Attend Dedication of Engineers' Home.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The dedication of the building in this city which is now the common home of three national engineering societies, and for the erection of which Andrew Carnegie gave \$1,000,000, will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 16 and 17.

In the exercises of the first day, Charles F. Scott, chairman of the conference and building committee; H. O. Olcott, president of the United Engineering Society, a corporation formed to manage the building; Mr. Carnegie and President Hadley of Yale University are expected to participate.

PRAYER BY HALE.

Charles Wallace Hunt will preside, prayers will be offered by the venerable Edward Everett Hale of Boston and letters from the President of the United States and the Governor-General of Canada will be read.

Wednesday's program includes addresses by the presidents of the founded societies and the presentation of the John Fritz gold medal to Dr. Alexander Graham Bell and of other medals for distinguished services to Ralph W. Pepe, Dr. F. R. Hutton and Dr. E. W. Raymond.

Congress to pass more stringent laws regarding the systems of bookkeeping employed by the railroads.

Investigation of the combination of railroads forming the Pennsylvania system, the Vanderbilt lines, the Rock Island, and the Hill lines.

The first thing to be done is to decide whether Harriman will be hauled into the Federal courts of Southern New York to answer certain questions which he refused to do in the New York inquiry. This probably will be determined in the near future and it is believed, will result in the proposed court proceedings.

STRONGER LAWS.

Request by the Commission for

LATEST NEWS FROM ALAMEDA AND BERKELEY

UNIVERSITY "GYM" JINKS

Program of College Events During the Week at Berkeley.

BERKELEY, April 6.—Not the only interesting event of the week at the University is the sophomore women's "gym" Jinks. The Board of Regents are to meet Tuesday afternoon in San Francisco. The nineteenth symphony concert is to be given in the Greek Theater on Thursday afternoon. Friday morning the regular bi-monthly university meeting will be held in Harmon gymnasium and a grand musical program in the Greek Theater on Saturday afternoon by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra will wind up the "doings" of the week.

The full program follows:

8. MONDAY.

College of Commerce Lecture. Room 101, California Hall, 4 p. m. Speaker, Mr. Ng Pun Chu.

Subject, "America's Foreign Trade, Its Prospects and Its Hindrances."

Glee Club Rehearsal. Stiles Hall, 7:30 p. m.

9. TUESDAY.

Light Observatory Lecture. Room 1, Observatory, 11 a. m.

Speaker, Director W. W. Campbell.

Subject, "Eclipse Problems."

Special meeting of the Agricultural Committee. Office of Regent Foster, 1210 James Flood Building, San Francisco, 1:30 p. m.

Meeting of the Regents of the University of California. Office of Regent Foster, 1210 James Flood Building, San Francisco, 2 p. m.

French Department Lecture. Room 113, California Hall, 4 p. m.

Speaker, Professor Robert Dupey.

Subject, "The Provinces and the Revolution."

Students' Congress. Room 113, California Hall, 8 p. m.

Question for debate: Resolved, That the Wisconsin system of direct primaries for the election of party candidates to state offices be introduced into California.

Speakers on the affirmative: Davis, '07; Orr, '09; Salzman, '10.

Speakers on the negative: Pullen, '07; Watkins, '07; Vosburgh, '10.

10. WEDNESDAY.

A. S. W. C. Election. North Hall, 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Museum of Casts. Open from 1 to 4 p. m.

French Department Lecture. Museum of Casts, 3 p. m.

Speaker, Professor J. T. Allen.

"Lysistrata and His Successors."

Women's Mandolin and Guitar Club. Hearst Hall, 4 p. m.

Second regular meeting of the graduate students. Room 113, California Hall, 8 p. m.

The meeting will be addressed by Dr. Barrows on "College Graduates in the Philippines" and by Professor G. L. Roberts of the Political Science Department on "Graduate Life in Eastern Universities."

The meeting is open to all graduates, undergraduates, and to the public.

Sophomore Women's Gym Jinks. Hearst Hall, 8 p. m.

11. THURSDAY.

Nineteenth Symphony Concert. Greek Theater, 3:10 p. m.

The program will be given by the University Orchestra, with Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Petschekoff as soloists.

PROGRAM.

Concertante Symphonies for violin and viola. Mozart.

Soloists: Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Petschekoff.

First Symphony . . . Schumann.

Concerto for violin . . . Tchaikovsky.

Soloist: Mr. Alexander Petschekoff.

Senior Singing. Senior Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club. 7:30 p. m.

12. FRIDAY.

Exhibition of Book Plates belonging to the University. Library, main floor.

Exhibitions will be changed weekly.

University Meeting. Harmon Gymnasium, 11 a. m.

All university exercises will be suspended during this hour.

Physics Department Meeting. Room 13, South Hall, 4:15 p. m.

Speaker, Dr. W. A. Gray.

Subject: Some recent works in the field of low temperatures.

Fourth Sem. In. Alameda. Hearst Hall, 8:30 p. m.

13. SATURDAY.

Symphony Concert. Greek Theater, 2:30 p. m.

The Chicago Symphony Orchestra will render the program, which will be as follows:

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Prize song from "Der Meistersinger" . . . Wagner.

Fantastic Dir. Walkure" . . . Wagner.

Second Intercollegiate Football Game. Stanford, Calif., 3:30 p. m.

14. SUNDAY.

Half-hour of Music. Greek Theater, 4 p. m.

The program will be rendered by the Loring Club of San Francisco, under the direction of Mr. W. C. Stadtfield.

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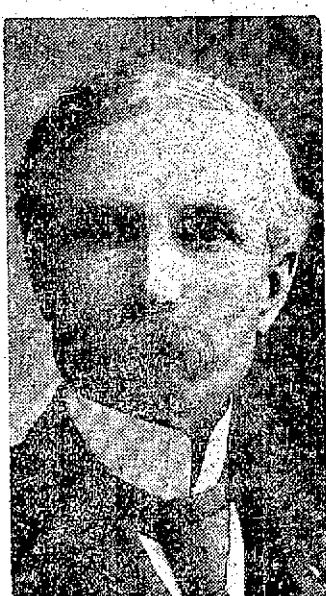
Wednesday, May 15.—Commencement day.

HALF HOUR OF MUSIC IN THE GREEK THEATER

LANGUAGE OF HUPA INDIANS

Anthropological Studies of the Tribe Explained in College Pamphlet.

BUT FEW POLITICAL FIGHTS ARE ON IN THE COMING BERKELEY ELECTION



Dr. J. T. FARRAR
Republican candidate for school trustee from the first ward.

FRANCIS FERRIER
Republican candidate for town trustee from the third ward.

CONTESTS ARE IN THE WARDS

Much Ginger In Fight Waged in the Seventh for Trustee.

BERKELEY, April 6.—Perfunctory elections have become the political fashion in Berkeley and the style will be followed quite closely on Monday. There are hardly enough contests on to keep the political blood in circulation. In most of the wards a very few votes will do the trick for the Republicans. As far as the general officers go there are no contests—except from the Socialists, and the promoters of that now Berkeley party are not expecting any extraordinary agitation of the keds on their side of the voting machines.

ONLY CONTESTS.

The only contests of any importance occur in the Fifth, Third and Seventh Wards. In the Fifth Ward John Geulen, the labor union man who has been conducting an independent canvass for Trustee, has stirred up considerable discussion. He has held several meetings and made several speeches in which charges were made reflecting on the efficiency of Dr. F. T. Favor, Incumbent, and Republican candidate to succeed himself. Today Mr. Favor comes out with a statement to the voters replying to the contentions of the opposition. He declares that many misstatements have been made especially to the charge that insurance rates in South Berkeley are higher than they are in East Berkeley. Favor says that no insurance rates have been made that do not apply to the whole State. Mr. F.

MARSHAL VOLLMER,
Republican candidate for town marshal.

vor appeals to the voters on his past record.

Trustee Favor has a large following in the South End. His friends have signed an endorsement in his candidacy.

ACTIVE CANVASS.

In the Fifth Ward W. L. Overstreet is running for School Director against A. T. Schucker, Incumbent. Both Sutherland and Overstreet are making active canvases.

But the most gingerly contest centers in the Seventh Ward, which is West Berkeley. William J. Schmidt, who failed to get the Republican nomination for Trustee, announced himself an independent candidate, declaring that he had been "jobbed" out of the nomi-

nation in the convention. J. T. Renas, a well known merchant and resident of West Berkeley, is the Republican candidate, but he has not the solid backing of the organization. The "powers that be" seem to be split up into two camps. Trustee Olsen, Dan McLaughlin and other Republicans are for Renas. All of Postmaster George Schmidt's friends are for his brother Billy, and these are not inconsiderable in number. Olsen and his men have accused certain members of the City Central Committee of being open supporters of Schmidt, but the charges have not stirred the committee to remove the accused members.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

James Donohoe is after the office of School Director in opposition to Theodore Brown, the Republican nominee. A heavy vote is expected to be polled in the Seventh, and in order to accommodate the voters two voting machines will be placed in each of the polling places in that ward.

Francis Ferrier, the Republican nominee for Trustee to succeed him self as representative of the Third Ward, is confidently awaiting the issue of Monday's election. But Adam Kellner, the independent, is equally confident, and his friends are displaying much activity.

In the First Ward H. B. Phillips, independent, and Dr. J. T. Furrar, Republican, are contesting for the office of School Director.

ISSUES INVOLVED IN THE ALAMEDA ELECTION

Interest Centered on the Office of Mayor, and the Fate of Councilmen Is Obscured.

ALAMEDA, April 6.—Monday

the fate of twenty-seven candidates for the City Council will be decided.

Mayor, tax collector and assessor will also be elected. Tonight Park street was thronged with politicians of all calibers and nothing was talked of outside of politics. The worth of the various candidates and their chances for election were the subjects of discussions of their friends and others. Some money was in sight and a number of bets were made that E. K. Taylor would defeat Joseph F. Fordeyer.

Mrs. George Whitney returned to her home at San Anselmo yesterday, after having been in this city with her mother for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Thompson of Spokane are in this city visiting with friends. They will be in Alameda for two weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Sharpless of Paso Robles, where they spent two weeks.

Mrs. Maxwell Webster, a Los Angeles resident, left this afternoon for her home. She has been in Alameda a month.

Miss Florence James was hostess during the week at a "good-wish shower" given in honor of Miss Mildred Burrell, who is to wed Locke Cortelyou.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Towne, soloist.

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MAY PROSECUTE GUN WIELDER

Police Declare Intention of Taking Action Against C. G. Moorman.

ALAMEDA, April 6.—C. G. Moorman, who shot at his son-in-law, R. C. Cheal on Friday morning, may be prosecuted by the police for violating the city ordinances by discharging a firearm in the city limits. After the alleged attempted shooting of his son-in-law, Moorman disappeared and his whereabouts have been a mystery since.

Cheal has refused to prosecute his father-in-law and gives no reason for the attempt at his life.

GOSSIP FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

APRIL FOOL JOKE.

The smart set played an "April fool" joke on itself at the Monday night skating club, led by Mrs. Ynez Shorb White. Every one took the "foolish powder" prescribed for April's birthday, and came arrayed in all sorts of clever conceits. Mrs. Fred McNear did a "Mary Had a Little Lamb" stunt that was conspicuously clever. "Everywhere that Mary went the lamb was sure to go," and as Mary cut some pretty capers on her skates, and the lamb was large and woolly, the wonder grew that Mary and her lamb did not "go" through the floor. Mrs. McNear certainly has the wizardry of balance down to a hair's breadth. She twirled that lamb around as recklessly as though she were not roller-skated. Some of her friends, who were in the secret of her make-up, tried to find a real live lamb—even a sheep or a goat would have satisfied them, providing the animal was excessively alive—but nary a representative of the baa-baa family could they lure from the fold.

Mrs. Marguerite Hanford, Mrs. John Gamble and Mrs. Selby Hanna looked very coy and captivating as "Three Little Girls In Blue," and Angela and Marie Coyle went them a juvenile better as twin babies, with half socks and all the other accessories of babydom. Marie Rose Dean made a very chic fencing girl. There were the usual flower girls, Chinese maidens, a Sis Hopkins or two, a Queen of Hearts and dominoes galore.

Those who did not reduce the skating fever to normal temperature on Monday night had two other opportunities to slake their thirst, for on Wednesday night the San Rafael Skating Club had a meeting, and on Thursday the San Mateo Skating Club clamped on its skates and set to it, just as avidly as though everything else in life were merely incidental to roller proficiency.—News Letter.

EVELYN THAW'S ANCESTRY.

An interesting story is now going the rounds in Great Britain as to the nativity of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, the "beautiful young and wronged wife," of the sensational yellow press, who is now assisting in defending her 38-year-old "boy husband" from a charge of murder. From the first it has been believed that she was born at Alleghany, in Virginia, and that she was the daughter of a lawyer. From Scotland the story now comes that Mrs. Thaw's father is a plate-layer on the railway at Castlecary, Stirlingshire, and that her brother David, a young man of twenty-five, is employed at an iron foundry in the Falkirk district. David Nesbit, the alleged father, in an interview says that one day upon his return from his day's toil, he found the whole family had flown. The key was in the door, but the entire house was stripped of almost everything. He later found, upon investigation, that Mrs. Nesbit and her children had crossed the Atlantic in the emigrant ship Ohio. Mrs. Nesbit, he says, first got a situation as a cook in Hamilton, Ontario, where the four youngest children also boarded. Mutual terminations subsequently passed between himself and his wife, but they failed to become reunited. He claims that he last heard from Evelyn ten years ago, but the tone of her letter being rather sharp, he did not pursue the correspondence. It might be added that under the title, "The Eternal Question," a prominent author on the other side of the Atlantic is now bringing out a novel dealing with the so-called "unwritten law," as it is brought to bear upon the pas-

sions which actuate men at crucial moments of their lives. The dramatic scene in the New York roof garden, in which Evelyn Thaw figured, is, it is said, one of the great factors in the story.—News Letter.

OAKLAND SHARPERS.

Two Oakland sharpers, accused of swindling an Italian out of \$700 at a card game of their own invention, gave a practical demonstration of their methods in court the other day, maintaining that it was a perfectly fair game of chance. The incident recalls an episode in the court of Judge Campbell, the famous police judge of San Francisco. A street faker had been arrested for swindling. Assembling a crowd, he would hold an open purse in one hand and a five dollar piece in the other. He would drop the coin into the purse, close the latter, and offer it to any one who wanted it for half a dollar. Generally there was a scramble for it. When opened it would be found to contain a penny. When the swindler was brought before Judge Campbell, the arresting officer told of his ingenious device to separate the public from half-dollar pieces. The judge announced that he would like to see a demonstration of the trick in order to determine whether it was a swindle. "As a rule, I don't send bunco men to jail," he announced, "for usually the man who is bitten is trying to get something for nothing."

Accordingly the prisoner prepared for his trick. Taking off his coat, he rolled up his sleeves, then produced a small purse which he showed to be empty. He held it between the thumb and finger of his left hand, his arm extended at full length. Between the thumb and finger of the right hand he held a five dollar piece. With the right hand a foot above the left, he dropped the coin into the purse. The spectators saw it go in, just as people on the street had done. He closed the purse with his left hand, his arm still extended.

Judge Campbell had been watching him closely. "Is that what you sell for half a dollar?" he asked.

"It is," was the reply. "Well," said the judge, "I'm getting old, but I've got a pretty good pair of eyes, and I know a good thing when I see it. I'll give you half a dollar for that."

The prisoner handed it over. Judge Campbell eagerly opened it and fished out—a penny.

"Six months for you," he roared, for the first time in his life sympathizing with the man who had been bitten.—News Letter.

ONLY A DREAM.

Some dreamer has suggested that one result of the present graft campaign may result in the appointment of William J. Burns as chief of police of San Francisco. We have heard of the dreams that come from the various drugs of the Orient, but this is beyond even the possibility of the most active dope. Burns at the head of the local police department would be such a catastrophe that we would have to pinch ourselves to see whether we were awake or not. Of course, it is not likely that a man of Burns' character would accept such a position, but if he should, we would have the unprecedented spectacle of a San Francisco police force, and especially a detective force, that was not a burlesque and a joke.—News Letter.

OAKLAND COUNCIL.

What's this we hear, that Detective Burns and Special Prose-

cutor Heney, during their investigation of graft in San Francisco have brought out evidence that may cause some of the honored members of the City Council of virtuous Oakland to have strange visions in their dreams? Perhaps, after all, there is nothing to the report that corporation money in some mysterious manner fell into the pockets of the city officials in the boasted city of schools and churches. But then, so long as District Attorney Brown is paid to enforce the laws in Alameda county to the sorrow of the wrong-doers, it will not be amiss to take the matter up with the grand jury. It's safe to work on the theory that "one can't always sometimes tell" what public officials are doing or what they have done.—News Letter.

EXPULSION OF CO-ED.

Judging from the publicity given to the expulsion of a co-ed from one of the prominent sororities in Berkeley last week, one would be led to believe that while there may be considerable brotherly love in this age, sisterly affection is somewhat below par even where educated young women are concerned.

There are some things after all that are meaner than stabbing another in the back; perhaps one of them is hitting when he is down, and then sending word to the various newspapers as to what has been done. Higher education and the milk of human kindness seem to mingle in such instances as the one mentioned about as well as do oil and water. But, say the collegians, both men and women, what care we for others' feelings so long as we are becoming more cultured!—News Letter.

EXPERIENCE TEACHES.

Nothing teaches like experience. So thinks the woman who was haled before Superior Judge Melvin, Oakland, last week, to show cause why she should not be punished for contempt of court. In her desire to have something to say about Percy Pembroke, then on trial for robbery, she made the grave error of speaking to one of the jurors who was sitting in the case. Although she was allowed to go, after being severely reprimanded by the court, she was given the scare of her life. At the conclusion of her ordeal she decided that courts of justice no longer had charms for her.

Throughout the remainder of the trial she was conspicuous by her absence.—News Letter.

SURPRISED AT JURY.

Ye gods and little fishes! Look out for squalls—or earthquakes! For once in the history of Alameda county, a jury has really done its duty and found a prisoner at the bar of justice guilty of the crime with which he was charged. That in itself would be sufficient to make the law abiding citizens of Alameda county sit up and take notice, but when it is taken into consideration that the defendant was Percy Pembroke, the youth who, with Jim Crowhurst, who is now in Folsom for his part of the crime, robbed Edward Stanley in East Oakland nearly three years ago, the same Percy Pembroke who was thrice tried, but in some unexplainable way finally acquitted of assisting two other youths, both of whom are serving life sentences, to murder Thomas Cook, something is surely going to happen.—News Letter.

MATRON'S CHICKEN STORY.

Among the enthusiastic chicken raisers of the outskirts of Hayward was a young matron who, previous to her marriage, was a well-known society girl of Oak-

land. To show her friends what she could do in this line, the very best imported stock was bought, regardless of price or protests of her husband. Every poultry show held within a radius of one hundred miles was visited. Poultry literature took the place of all other reading matter. When Mr. Blank returned home in the evening from his office, chicken talk nearly drove him wild, and he only wished he could make her understand how this perpetual subject bored and irritated him. Regard for her feelings, however, kept him silent, but at last his patience had its own reward.

The recent rainstorm proved too much for the over-pampered, highly-bred fowls; they began to appear droopy, if not rouny. Not at all discouraged, Mrs. Blank sought her book on poultry diseases, and diagnosed their case—one that could be cured by aso-foetida pills, "one grain for young chickens and two for the full-grown," to be given at stated per-

iods. One box of pills cured the flock, and eggs began to be plentiful, but Mr. Blank was shy of eggs from hens so recently on the sick list, so they boxed and shipped them to an Oakland firm that refused a second shipment. It seems that those choice ranch eggs tasted so strongly of aso-foetida that their customers were ready to mob them for selling "stale eggs." So ended the chicken business for one woman, and a wicked man rejoices to himself, and there is a ranch for sale somewhere near Hayward.—News Letter.

UNIONS IN POLITICS.

Alameda is basking in sunshine; there are flowers everywhere, and the air is full of the scent of roses. It would appear that in such surroundings there would be no room for rancor or bad blood, and yet the Carpenter's Union of Alameda is reported as being out hot-foot to defeat the aspirations of Mr. E. K. Taylor for Mayor. It would be better to forget and forgive, if there is anything to forgive and forget. The union is a failure in politics, anyway.—News Letter.

ON A SUBWAY.

With the building of the subway connecting Ninth street, Alameda, with Broadway, Oakland, a new commercial artery will have been established, and the cities will be able to transact business without the difficulties and losses attendant on the operation of the Webster street bridge. The Oakland Traction Company engineers are now figuring on the cost of the improvement.—News Letter.

BRIDAL SHOWERS.

The increasing frequency of bridal showers among the young ladies in Oakland is becoming a nuisance. They are becoming a regular "hold-up" of friends. In a small society of girls in Oakland, one prospective bride was the recipient of six expensive showers, linen, cut glass, etc., all gifts from the same bunch of girls, most of them working girls, too, who could ill afford the money spent for these articles, but their social position demanded it. Then, at the wind up, each one is expected to make a wedding present of some pretension, or be considered right.—News Letter.

CLEAN BEACH.

Alameda citizens are agitating the question of a clean beach on the south side of the island. This is one of the finest beaches in the world, and in order to make it attractive, it is proposed that provision be made for a regular

cleaning of the sands by the street force, and the appointment of a beach officer. These sands extend out over a mile, and there is no dangerous undertow. The idea enunciated by the former secretary of the Advancement Association of Alameda, Mr. Hartog, is again being brought forward by the people of Alameda. The project is to build, at the end of every street fronting on the south side of the island a system of pergolas, of different styles of architecture, and to finally extend the system all around the island, so as to provide a pergola at the end of every street. This would make Alameda one of the most beautiful cities in the United States, possessing an attractive feature not to be found elsewhere. It now has the finest streets in California, and it also has a sewer system that is perfect. Recent statistics place it in rank as the lowest in the United States in death rate.—News Letter.

IN BERKELEY HOUSEHOLD.

A visitor to a Berkeley household inquired of the young son of the host if his father "was in."

The youngster quickly answered: "Part of him is and part of him isn't." Being rather puzzled, the visitor asked to see the part that was in. Instantly the boy brought out his father's new set of false teeth.—News Letter.

THAT SORORITY RUMPS.

The tempest in the campus teapot which has been raised by the summary dismissal of Isabel McReynolds from the Delta Delta sorority will probably splash over and scald sororities in general. The high school "frat" is in general disrepute but the most vehement enemy of these undergraduate societies has never accused the college sororities of being out hot-foot to defeat the aspirations of Mr. E. K. Taylor for Mayor. It would be better to forget and forgive, if there is anything to forgive and forget. The union is a failure in politics, anyway.—News Letter.

IT WAS UNPRECEDENTED.

Miss McReynolds is not a parallel type. She has been accused of no wrongdoing, but her "sorority sisters," who do not wear their claws close clipped, were sweetly careful to make public the fact that she had been expelled from the organization. Only people in touch with college life realize what a drastic measure the "Tri Delt" girls have shown. Contrast the attitude of the California club women toward Mrs. Schiller of unsavory divorce notoriety. A sorority, as its name implies, binds its members by ties of sisterly love and fealty, whereas a club is committed to a cause not bound to personal allegiance. Yet when the California Club was dragged into the case and prominent members were called to testify concerning Mrs. Schiller's connection with the organization these women were careful to testify like "gentlemen"—not one of them indulged in a single comment at Mrs. Schiller's expense.

BAKER'S STRAIGHT TALKS.

One of our Superior Judges has pronounced our juvenile court methods of little avail in turning young criminals into the right path. Over in Alameda they have something that beats the juvenile court all to pieces and vindicates the old saying about an ounce of prevention being worth a pound of cure. It is not an official af-

fair, maintained by law, but it might be called a private enterprise for the good of the youth of the town. The head and front of it is J. E. Baker, a banker, whose methods are simple. Every Sunday evening he delivers a talk at the Presbyterian church for the benefit of such boys as care to attend. His talks are on business success and morals. One might not think that boys would flock enthusiastically to hear a discourse on such topics; but the boys of Alameda do, and pronounce their preceptor a "peach." There are many a youngster of the town who will forego almost any pleasure for the sake of this lecture. Several of the boys have been asked why Mr. Baker is so popular with them, and invariably the reply is, "He doesn't preach." Boys do not like preaching, and Baker, realizing this, gives them straight talks on the material advantages of leading a moral life and of honesty in business. Success, of the legitimate sort, is often his topic, and he tells them of his own hard struggles to reach a position of prominence in the community. He tells them their duty toward their employers—also toward themselves. "No matter if you are dissatisfied with your job," he tells them, "do not leave it until you get another one." That piece of advice has become a maxim among the Alameda boys. These lectures, which have been kept up for years, have done a world of good in Alameda. They have started the boys to reflecting along lines not usually followed by the youthful mind, and have encouraged many a lad to start out in life with principles that have carried him to honest success. It is noticeable that the boys who attend these lectures are not of the "goody goody" class, but are healthy young animals who do not get brain-fag from over study, who are fond of athletics, and who would not hesitate to enter a good set-to with bare fists in support of principle. One man of Baker's type in a community does more good than a dozen juvenile courts.—Town Talk.

THE CAUTIOUS LONERGAN.

Whatever the facts may be the story that with the sorcery of his art Burns contrived to fascinate Gallagher, and that the subsequent trapping of Lonergan and Walsh was schemed in the brain of the Head Groom, is not lacking in verisimilitude. It is explained that Lonergan and Walsh were trapped because of the magnanimity of Gallagher who had no desire to claim the credit for negotiating the terms of State's evidence. And Lonergan, himself, by the way, fought shy of the opportunity to win that credit. But the shyness of Lonergan is not to be attributed to his modesty. Mr. Lonergan is not of the Gallagher temperament. Indeed Mr. Lonergan is in a class by himself. When trapped he was as stubborn as a mule with prejudices against the driver. Though caught with the money in his hands he protested his innocence unwaveringly for hours at a stretch. It was not until Burns divined his thoughts that he "came through."

"Of course we don't want the money," said Burns.

"You don't?" asked Lonergan, in amazement.

"Why, of course not," said Burns; "the money doesn't belong to the people."

"An' you wouldn't take it if you knew where it was?" he eagerly asked.

"Certainly not," was the reply. "Not even if I had it here on me person?"

"Not if you had it in your hand," said Burns.

"Then I'll give up," said Lonergan.

"And he did.—Town Talk.

BERLIN PARIS LONDON AND MADRID

MURDERED FOX WITH POISONS

For These Crimes German Lucretia Borgia" Must Pay Penalty.

BY MALCOLM CLARKE.

BERLIN, April 6.—The German "Lucretia Borgia" has been condemned to death for poisoning Ernest Feige, the condemned woman, was charged with poisoning six persons, but was convicted for the murder of two only, Hans Janitzschek and Frada Bruckner, her lodgers.

The other four victims, who included Feige's mother-in-law and sister-in-law, had been dead about seven years, making it impossible to prove from the exhumed remains whether they had been poisoned.

Feige's motive was to possess her victim's money, and she usually chose a sick person with money as her lodger. She would endeavor to influence her victim to make a will in her favor, and then begin to use her poison, which was arsenic. She showed great cunning in choosing this drug, as the district of Silesia, where she lived, is arsenic productive, and it had to be proved whether the arsenic found in the bodies was administered before death or absorbed from the soil of the graveyard.

TORTURE WAS TOO SEVERE

Student Couldn't Stand Dripping of Water on His Hand.

PARIS, April 6.—A young student named Gontaut has had a taste of the medieval that he will not soon forget. His professor was describing the inquisitorial torture of the dripping water and stated that in China it is still a favorite method of punishment to drop water, drop by drop, upon the heads of refractory prisoners until they were subdued.

This student laughed, and expressed his disbelief in this. The professor said that he was sure that the student would not be able to bear the dripping of a pint of water upon his outstretched hand. The young man agreed to try. A pint of water was sent for, a hole was made in the can, and the operation of dropping the water, drop by drop, commenced.

At first the student laughed immensely at the joke, while all the other students stood around, greatly interested. At the 200th drop the skeptic began to show himself less joyous, and then became quite calm, while an agonized expression flitted from time to time over his face.

At the 300th drop the hand became inflamed and quite red. The pain became worse, and began to be torturing. Then the skin began to crack, and at the 400th drop the patient had to declare himself beaten. He could stand no more.

CONSTRUCTION OF PALAIS DE CONCERT

PARIS, April 6.—Further information has been given out concerning the new Palais de Concert which is to be built in the Champs Elysees, chiefly with the support of well known Americans.

M. Gabriel Astruc, director of the Societe Musuhale de Paris, says he is certain the building will supply a "long-felt want," since Paris, which has so many other amusement resorts, is lacking in concert halls.

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CURED OF ASTHMA WILL ACCEPT AUTOMOBILE AFTER 50 YEARS OF SUFFERING.

A Most Remarkable Recovery Which Had Baffled Many Medical Experts.

BERKELEY, Cal., April 6.—The fact that Elizabeth Dunham of this city has been cured of a severe case of asthma of more than fifty years standing, will be good news to the thousands of asthmatic sufferers all over the country who have difficulty in finding even a short relief from this distressing malady.

Miss Dunham over her recovery to Toxico, a new preparation which is being dispensed free of charge to all who write to the Toxico Laboratory, 1269 Broadway, New York city. Toxico is also said to be an excellent remedy for catarrh, bronchitis and hay-fever.

NOTED JESUIT PRIEST DYING

Father Prelato Was Once President of St. Ignatius College.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—One of the oldest Jesuits in the city, Father Francis I. Prelato, is reported to be dying at the new St. Ignatius College at Fell and Shrader streets. Father Prelato has been identified with the Jesuits in this city for the past forty years and twenty years ago was president of St. Ignatius College. Following the Spanish-American war he established the first chapel of the Roman Catholic Church at the Presidio.

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Baron D'Estournelle, the Comptant,

of the leading universities, his

colleagues, will arrive on the French

steamer Sunday and others will

swell the number of notables to be

between thirty and forty. Next Wed-

nesday a special train will take all the

guests then in New York to Pittsburg,

BIOSCOPE AT THE VATICAN

Church Dignitaries and Their Relatives Are Pleasantly Entertained.

HOME, April 6.—The Pope, his sis-

ters, Cardinal Merry del Val, and sev-

eral other prelates attended an enter-

tainment recently given by Engineer

Vannunc, an employe of the Vatican,

who showed views of the chief cities of the United States by means of a bioscope. The pictures were mainly of New York and Washington. He explained each picture briefly. The Pope thanked the engineer warmly and said that he felt he had almost realized his wish to visit the New World.

CREAM PIES

Whip a pint of sweet cream to a stiff froth, sweeten and flavor with vanilla. Make a rich, puff paste and bake in custard tins. When cold, lay the whipped cream on them. These are excellent.

LAST HONORS TO DEAD POPE

Body of Leo XIII to Be Taken to His Last Resting Place Next Month.

ROME, April 6.—Announcement has been made that it has been decided by the Italian and Vatican authorities that the transportation of the body of Pope Leo XIII to the Basilica of St.

John Lateran will take place in the month of May. The funeral procession will start at eight o'clock in the morning and will be public, all the high ecclesiastic and Catholic societies taking part.

Italian troops will line the route to tender military honors to the dead pontiff. This use of Italian soldiers with the consent of the Vatican authorities is regarded as important by the press and in political circles. It is stated that while it is not an explicit recognition of the status quo, it constitutes an acceptance of the present political situation of Italy by the Vatican.

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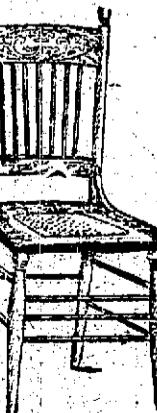
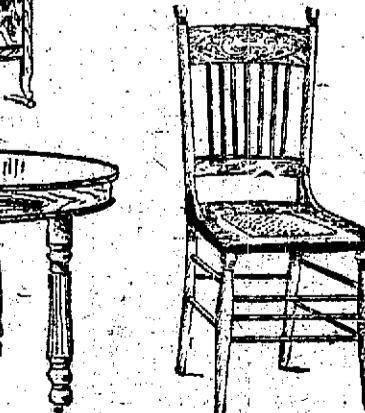
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Every one is an elegant piece of furniture, also a \$20 cash prize given the last Saturday in each month. The ticket for this prize is drawn by three customers and redeposited among the tickets, the lucky number known only to the customers and ourselves. The last Saturday, for instance, we advertised only what we agreed to do. We are manufacturers' agents and thereby SAVE YOU AT LEAST TWENTY PER CENT on all furniture bought from us. We save you 40 PER CENT COMMISSION paid to commercial men handling furniture from the factories. Your furniture is really worth it, which is an additional item in your favor. Let us be your friends for the betterment of your home.

SATURDAY'S SPECIAL

DINING TABLE, BUFFET and SIX CHAIRS—all for the price of one of the mentioned.

All for \$29.75

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Our Red Tag Sale is now on for April, May and June—ends July 3, 1907. We are giving away \$1000 in premiums—a \$400 Piano and 10 Prizes.



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Los Angeles Police Make Clever Capture in Southern Town.

LOS ANGELES, April 6.—Accused of posing by day at fashionable hotels as a wealthy Chicago merchant and of looting houses by night, Leo Levy, who tells the police that he is a member of a wealthy family in San Francisco, is under arrest after an exciting chase by officers. The police say his home is in Oakland. The specific charge against Levy is the burglary of the room of Japanese Levy, known also as Rosenthal, Meyer, and Gouldman, Lewis and Latham, escaped from custody here nine years ago when under sentence to the penitentiary. He leaped from a courtroom window and again from a train that was carrying him to San Quentin. He has lived recently at Tacoma and Seattle.

The fellow was arrested on suspicion in the Japanese quarter after he had made a desperate attempt to escape by scaling fences and hiding in dark alleys. He later was identified as a supposedly wealthy inmate of a sanatorium at Monrovia. Officials there could not believe that he was guilty of any crime until it was proved by the police that he had disposed of numerous diamond rings, watches and other jewelry. It is believed he is guilty of many burglaries up and down the coast. He refuses to talk.

KILLED BY A
FIERCE TORNADO

Seven People Lose Their Lives In an Alabama Storm.

LUVERNE, Ala., April 6.—Seven persons, five white and two colored, were killed by the tornado that passed through this county yesterday. The dead: James Knowles, his son, High Farrar, and two children, and two negroes. Mrs. Farrar was fatally hurt.

Several persons in various localities were injured.

RAPID PROGRESS ON
ROAD TO COAST

KANSAS CITY, April 6.—A. J. Earling, president of the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad who passed through Kansas City today en route to Chicago from the west said:

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Went Out of Seventh Story Window to Escape Angry Partner.

LOS ANGELES, April 6.—During an exciting clash over a business deal between A. T. Fitzgerald of Chicago and J. W. Hicks of Goldfield the latter leaped out through a seven-story window of the Hotel Alexandra at 3 o'clock yesterday. Belated people in the street were startled by a wild cry and the crash of glass, and saw the man drop into space. The next instant, however, he landed on a fire escape and was saved. Then he leaped through another window into the room of Frank Steele and sought protection from Fitzgerald, who had torn off his coat and tie and frightened him out of his wits.

Fitzgerald, who is better known in Chicago as "Red Flitz," had entered into negotiations with Hicks, just in from the mining region with money, and they had gone to his room to close a partnership deal of some kind.

Fitzgerald, almost a giant in size, claims Hicks, a little man, refused to give him a correct statement of his finances, and he finally became so exasperated that he took him by the coat collar and shook him up, and Hicks made the flying leap. The latter took the first train for Nevada and could not be seen. He had a thrilling experience.

FIND JEWELRY
IN WOODEN LEG

PHILADELPHIA, April 6.—Everybody in Miss Alice Cliff's boarding house, 15 Scott's lane, Falls of Schuylkill, was concerned when Miss Cliff announced one morning that her silver watch and chain and her diamond rings had been stolen.

To Sergeant Wallace, of the Falls of Schuylkill police station, Miss Cliff explained:

"Why, only the other day Mr. Clark, Mr. Frank Clark—Mr. Clark is one of my rooming boarders—offered to let me hide my jewelry in his wooden leg if I was afraid of robbers. I wish I had accepted."

The sergeant wanted a glimpse of Mr. Clark's wooden leg. In spite of the indignation of the star boarder and Miss Cliff, the leg was removed, and in the cavity within were found the watch and chain and pawn tickets for the rest of the jewelry.

Clark was held in bail for court by Magistrate Wrigley yesterday.

Doing Business Again.

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BULL PUPS PUT GAS
MEN TO FLIGHT

NEW YORK, April 6.—Two bull pups in possession of a "live" meter put to flight all the employees of the Consolidated Gas Company when they ventured into the cellar of 26 West Third street, opposite the New York Stock Exchange. George Keller, a station-keeper and owner of the canines, was summoned to come to explain.

"The dogs won't let any one get near the meter," said Inspector Vilas of the gas company. "There's the meter tickling away the company's gas, and we can't get near it."

One of the men tried it, and the teeth of the dogs clicked so loud as he climbed the stairs that he almost had nervous prostration.

"You must let the Inspector see the meter," said the Inspector.

"I'll open the door," Keller told the Inspector. "Let us know when you want to call and I'll have the dogs ready to receive you politely."

NEW CHICAGO MAYOR
TAKES THE OATH

CHICAGO, April 6.—Frederick A. Buss took the oath today of mayor of Chicago. He will be inaugurated April 15.

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WANTED—Cottage or flat 3 to 5 rooms; will buy furniture if desired. 2115 Telegraph ave. Phone Oakland 2814.

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CAME to promises of J. J. Reilly on
the 1st of April, but more between
two and three years old. Owner can
have same by proving property and
paying expenses.

LEFT Japanese purse on bench at 8th
and Oak streets; with \$50 in gold;
keys and small change. Finder please
return to 1017 2nd Ave., and receive
reward.

LOST—On April 2, in a runaway, one
large pump, one buckeye gauge, one
overcoat. Finder will be rewarded. De-
liver to Kinner & Co., 9th and Frank-
lin.

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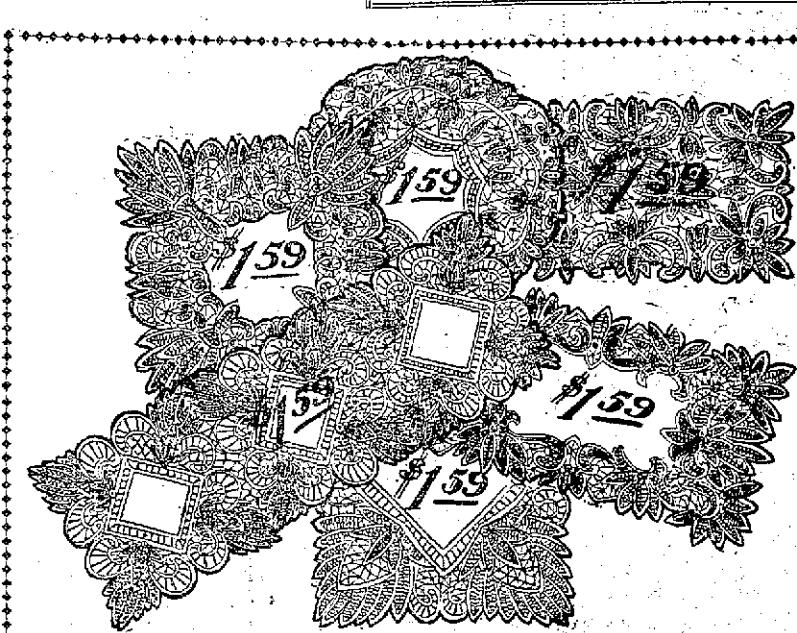
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NEGRO FIGHTERS RARELY GAME WHEN PITTED AGAINST WHITES OF STRONG PUNISHING POWER

LACK NERVE WHEN IN RING

Few Negroes Take Punishment as Well as White Fighters.

By EDDIE SMITH.

SPORTING EDITOR TRIBUNE.—The anticipated second fight between Gans and Nelson causes many to pause and wonder why the match hangs fire. The reason is an open secret among those in the real business. It is not the color line nor the odium attached to a match between a white man and a negro that makes the former hesitate to accept a challenge coming from a colored man, but the knowledge that he is sorely handicapped when facing a darkey. A white man in the prize ring stares into the colored man's face but he can't read his countenance nor his eyes; he is continually puzzled whereas the negro can read every lineament of his white adversary's face and catch every movement of the eye. This is a great advantage to the negro fighter and the white man knows it, yet hates to talk about it lest he should be charged with having cold feet.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES BESSERER.

WRITER'S OPINION.

The writer of the above letter evidently has more respect for a negro's fighting ability than the average fan. He, however, has many friends who are of the same opinion. The colored fighter has for a long time been the source of considerable comment as to his ability to take punishment, especially around the head, many believing that it is practically impossible to hurt a negro fighter by beating him on that part of the anatomy. The argument of my correspondent as to the movement of the eye is a good one, and in my experience I have often noticed that the eye is generally expressionless and indeed hard to study. This can not be said of the face, though for if a colored man has the least fear of being beaten or has victory in sight he will invariably show it in his face.

ARGUMENT NOT SOUND.

Then to the argument that a negro is hard to beat because of the fact that he is hard to study in the face is not a good one, for it is not in the least necessary for a fighter to study a man's face. If a man, if boxing with a man who sets himself in the least, it is only necessary to watch the movements of his muscles and he will telegraph the fact that he is going to lead in plenty of time for his opponent to get away from the punch. Even if the man does not set himself it is not by any means a necessity to watch the expression of the face, for man's foot will tell the story of when he is preparing for action, no matter how quick he may be for it is impossible for him to lead



EDDIE SMITH.

JACKSON WAS A BRAVE FIGHTER

Big Australian Took Punishment Better Than Most Blacks.

Jack Johnson, who is rated as one of the best men we have in the game today, is only great because we have no very good men in his division. He is, no doubt, one of the cleverest men that ever put a mitt on and can hit like the kick of a mule, but he is minus the necessary gameness that it takes to make champions. JOHNSON LACKS COURAGE

Negroes are human just the

from any position without first preparing to spring with the ball of his feet. Of course this does not apply to countering, for if a man is a boxer who keeps fairly on his feet and always ready, he can counter from any position without preparation as the man is coming to him, and it is unnecessary for him to step in close to his opponent. I have seen many boxers considered very clever by good critics who never looked at a man in the face, contenting himself with either watching the movements of the feet or shoulders.

FEET TELL STORY.

Knowing it to be a fact that it is not necessary to watch a negro or any other kind of a fighter in the eye, I am compelled to disagree with the above letter. The old idea of watching a man in the eye while boxing is of the old school and an exploded theory. Now as to the negro being harder to beat than the white man, we may as well dwell on this subject while we are discussing the colored fighter. From the experience I have had with negro fighters I would say that the average colored man is easier to beat than the white man. The average game colored fighter is very low when figured against his white brethren. I say this with no intention of in any way speaking disparingly of the colored race, and have often felt that perhaps this fact was brought about through the fact that as a general rule when a colored fighter is pitted against a white man he has the prejudice of the crowd and sometimes referee to overcome.

Subject of whether or not this is a right feeling has often been discussed, and is no nearer a satisfactory settlement than ever, so we will let that side of the question drop.

SOME GAME NEGROES.

George Dixon, Peter Jackson, Joe Walcott, Joe Gans and a few other lesser lights, are men who been a success in the profession through their ability to take and give punishment, but that percentage is very small when figured from the total of colored fighters who have been in the business in their time. Walcott was a freak, one fight he would take a beating and show gameness and in the next he would deliberately quit. At times when he quit it was suggested that he was faking and sometimes he was but a rough, strong man like Kid Carter, who could always make the "Black Demon" stop. Big



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JOHN L. BIDS FOR BIG FIGHT

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

Before another week passes Bill Squires, champion of Australia, will have set foot on American territory—that is, if he goes ashore to see the sights at Honolulu. Somewhere around April 18 the steamer Ventura, with Squires on board, will steam in through the Golden Gate and then the Australian will tell of his plans.

JOHN L. SQUIRES' BID.

It may not be generally known that our old friend John L. Sullivan attempted to steal a march on all American match-makers in bespeaking the services of Squires. According to an Australian sporting paper, Squires received the following from Sullivan before leaving Melbourne:

"Mr. Bill Squires, Melbourne, Australia: My Dear Sir—I have a man by the name of Kid Cutler, my sparring partner, that I would like to match with you. If you will kindly drop me a line to my main office, 128 Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., I will let you hear further on the subject."

"Ever yours truly,
JOHN L. SULLIVAN."

M'GOVERN AT HIS HOME AGAIN

NEW YORK, April 6.—After four months of closest confinement in a Stamford sanitarium, Terry McGovern, the former champion feather-weight pugilist, was released today. He was found "looking the picture of health," and Doctors Joseph Creamer and E. H. Quinn of New York, who saw him before he was released, predicted that he would be acting eccentric again within forty-eight hours.

McGovern would not have been released but for his devoted wife who, during the past two months, has been with him at least twice a week. Every time she called Terry begged that he be taken away. Today she insisted that he be released, and the sanitarium proprietor telephoned for Sam Harris, Terry's former manager. Accompanied by Joe Humphreys, Harris came to Stamford and took McGovern from the sanitarium.

Humphreys remained in Stamford with Terry and his wife to look for a cottage. The former fighter will stay there for at least two months, and will visit the sanitarium every day for treatment. Mrs. McGovern and their eight-year-old son, Joseph, will live with him.

"I am going to enter business in Brooklyn with my stepfather," said McGovern. "I feel well and I'm going to try and keep my health. No more fighting or stage work for me; I've cut it all out."

"McGovern's condition is practically the same today as it was when he entered the sanitarium," said Dr. Creamer. "He has improved physically but his mind will never again be strong."

Joe Humphreys said that McGovern was taken out of the sanitarium at his wife's request.

NO NEW OFFERS PAST WEEK FOR RETURN MATCH BETWEEN NELSON AND GANS, STARS OF PUGILISM

CORBETT GOT BIGGEST PURSE

Says He Will Put \$50,000 in Hands of Grand Jury for Match.

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—

A whole week has gone by without a new bid for the Gans-Nelson fight. That is, unless you count josh bids, and, to be frank about it, in a matter of this kind it isn't the easiest thing in the world to segregate the josh bids



W.W. NAUGHTON

their thoughts attuned to forty thousand dollar prize fights is a question. For a certainty no one has a line on new San Francisco in the matter in question, and the first venture of magnitude, so far as pugilism is concerned, will be as much of a gamble as the breaking of new ground in some unscratched portion of the Nevada gold belt.

THE HAZARDOUS PART.

What makes it a still more hazardous venture is that it is the first time a purse of a fixed amount was ever offered for a championship match in San Francisco. In what were undeniably the palmy days, the big bugs of the fight game were quite content to accept a percentage of the gate receipts, and I'll stake my existence that there was never a fistic reunion in California yet that paid the participants \$40,000 for their share.

The biggest gate that old San Francisco ever saw was that of the Jim Jeffries-Jim Corbett match. Coffroth's official statement of receipts showed a total of \$62,000. Several of us tried to shake Coffroth's testimony, but without avail, so the contest went on record as a sixty-two thousand dollar affair, and as such it is likely to remain "high gate" for many a year to come. I have grown weary of doubting the figures, but right now I defy proof that Jeff's and Corbett's shares of the spoils added together made \$40,000, the sum offered Gans and Nelson.

The next biggest money-maker around here was the Nelson-Britt daylight mill at Colma. It drew \$48,000, and if a similar gathering greets Gans and Nelson, should they fight here, some of us will become emotional, if not hysterical. I fear me it isn't on the cards—at least for a year or two yet.

BRITT AND CORBETT.

Jimmy Britt and Young Corbett fought before a \$32,000 house, and Jeffries and Fitzsimmons performed to a \$31,000 gathering. Jeffries and Ruhlin came next with \$30,000, and Britt and Nelson fought in the presence of \$27,000. Jeffries and poor Jack Munroe were hemmed around by a \$21,000 crowd, and a similar sized house greeted Joe Gans and Jimmy Britt. Young Corbett and Terry McGovern fought to a \$20,000 gate, and these comprise the San Francisco ring engagements which drew \$20,000 or over.

It will thus be seen that there is nothing in the history of the sport in old San Francisco even to warrant any promoter giving Gans and Nelson \$40,000, and then bearing the expense of a new arena and incidentals. And, as already remarked, we have a new San Francisco to deal with and we don't know whether she

FINNEY MAKES JOSH OFFER FOR GO

Gentleman Jim Drew \$62,000 in His Battle With Giant Jim.

possessess the sporting temperament or not.

Straws show which way the wind blows. Battling Nelson was tempted to justify his attitude towards Gans, while Gans, who addressed the same crowd, was cheered to the echo.

TRUTH ABOUT DANE.

The truth about the Dane is that he has been poorly handled and poorly advised. He may see the day when he will say, as others before him have said—save me from my friends. He has made some money; no doubt, but as Willus Britt says in his reflective moments, "Money, isn't everything."

If any of the poetry and chivalry that used to go with the old Norse blood has filtered down to Nelson he must discern that he is fast becoming a shattered idol so far as the public is concerned. He used to be regarded as the original petrel of the prize ring, a fellow who reveled in the turmoil of fistcuffs and who feared no one of his trade. We used to think that his all-absorbing ambition was to be known as the best of his heft the world around. Now we are forced to the conclusion that he recognizes his master in the chocolate-skinned Gans, and that he will never trust himself in a roped platform with Gans unless the negro agrees to leave the bulk of his fighting strength outside the ropes.

In championship disputes it is always the champion who dictates. He has something which the other fellow wants, and as a rule he names the conditions. The fact that Nelson attempted to usurp Gans' privilege in this particular instance is the best proof that Nelson isn't aching to try for Gans' laurels.

PROMOTERS UP IN AIR.
The Hartman bill has been killed but the San Francisco promoters haven't got their bearings yet by any means. There has been one contest—the Thompson-Hyland affair—and there is no saying when there will be another. Coffroth applied for a permit for April, but up to the present his application has not been acted upon by the Supervisors.

Things are in such a shape that whoever obtains the sanction for April cannot arrange anything very pretentious in the way of a glove contest. If Coffroth is favored he may try to bring Mike (Twin) Sullivan and Joe Thomas together.

Beyond April everything is uncertain, although it is probable that the conferring of permits for the entire year will be attended to by the city fathers within the next couple of weeks. Judging from hints dropped by those in the know, certain individual match handlers will be allowed to operate and nothing in the shape of a "fight trust" will be countenanced.

THIRTEEN IS LUCKY FOR THE SCRAPPERS

According to the usual forms of superstition, the thirteenth round ought to be about the unluckiest in fights. Yet a study of the fighting records will show that the worst strokes of bad luck usually come in the shorter bouts.

The four-round bout has long been a stumbling block for champions. It was in the fourth round that the Kentucky Rosebud knocked out George Dixon when "Little Chocolate" was in his prime, and it was in a match of the same duration that Jack Munro received a "verdict" over Jim Jeffries.

Charley Mitchell came to this country with high hopes of making a show out of John L. Sullivan in a four-round bout at the Madison Square Garden, many years ago. The Eng-

lishman's friends firmly believed that he was the superior boxer of the pair, and looked to see him put it all over Sullivan. Instead, John L. had knocked him entirely out of the ring when the poise interfered. Sullivan went on the road soon after, and failed to put away some of his opponents in the shorter bouts in which he pledged himself to stop them in a given number of rounds.

Any number of cases could be given where a short bout has proved a disappointment to a champion, whereas the same man has often redeemed himself in a longer trial against the same opponent. In the case of Jeffries and Munro, for instance, the short route was surely unlucky for the latter, as the better of the affair when the curtain was finally rung down.

"Ever yours truly,
JOHN L. SULLIVAN."

RAPID WATER WINS THE ORMONDE HANDICAP

**BARD FOALS
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**MILLIONAIRE
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STORY**

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 6.—The first foals of the year, the get of the Bard, owned by the A. J. Cassatt estate, have just arrived at the Melbourne stud. They are twins, one a chestnut colt and the other a bay filly. The dam of these youngsters is an unnamed mare six years old, by Gotham, out of Minuet, an own sister to Los Angeles and Head and Toe, the dam of Gold Heels. Cases are rare of a twin being good enough to win races, but there has been an instance or so, and William Steele, the owner of the youngsters, will endeavor to raise them.

Steele is of opinion this will be the last season of The Bard in Kentucky, as he thinks the Cassatt heirs will order the sale of Gold Heels sent back to Pennsylvania, some time this year. The horse which beat Hanover in the Brooklyn Handicap of 1888 is now twenty-four years old, and is more active and vigorous than many horses ten years his junior. He is one piece of property left by the millionaire railroad magnate that can't be sold out of the Cassatt family, as it was decreed by his late owner that The Bard should die as he had lived, owned by a Cassatt.

Los Angeles, the other famous equine star at the present Melbourne stud, is thought to be in foal again this year to The Bard. Her yearling colt by that horse, it is believed by Steele, will prove a brilliant race horse. The twenty-two year old mare still looks to be in grand shape.

THE TRIBUNE FORM CHART.

EMERYVILLE, April 5, 1907.—121st day.—Weather, cloudy. Track, fast.

E. C. HOPPER, Presiding Judge—RICHARD DWYER, Starter.

780 FIRST RACE—Seven and one-half furlongs; selling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$400.

Horse and Owner. (W.S.) 1 2 3 4 Str. Fin. Jockey. 1 Op. Cl.
730 Confessor, 5 (L. W. Blodgett).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Goshenfield 5-2 15-3
731 Pat, 4 (D. S. Fountain).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Garrett 5-2 15-3
732 Edwardo, 5 (H. Stover).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 H. Smith 5-2 15-3
733 Elevation, 4 (C. Van Dusen).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Hunter 5-2 15-3
734 Billings, 4 (A. P. Lynch).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Lynch 5-2 15-3
735 Billings, 4 (L. W. Blodgett).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Buchanan 5-2 15-3
736 Rosebud, 4 (W. R. Engstrom).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Buchanan 5-2 15-3
737 Plaintiff, 4 (S. P. Tate).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Horst 5-2 15-3
738 Jackfield, 6 (G. P. McNeil).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Schuyler 5-2 15-3
739 Smallman, 5 (L. R. Schaffer).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Fisher 5-2 15-3

Confessor, place, 6-5; Pat, show, 4-5. Edwardo, show, 5-5. Time, 1:55.40. Distances, 1:18.25, 1:31. At post 2 minutes. Off at 1:45. Start good; won by Pat. Father Confessor—Koffee. Trained by J. W. Blodgett. Scratches—Scratches. Pat, a hard drive and fast up; Pat had his speed and was a strong ride would have won. Edwardo did his best. Elevation finished with a strong dash. Plaintiff badly missed about. Passage a flash of speed. Others showed nothing.

781 SECOND RACE—One and one-fourth miles; selling; four-year-olds and up. Purse, \$400.

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730 Talmund, 4 (C. E. McLaughlin).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 McLaughlin 6-2 15-3
731 Briers, 4 (Fleur de Lis).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Buxton 6-2 15-3
732 Benivolo, 4 (Fleur & Co.).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Benivolo 6-2 15-3
733 Inflammable, 5 (Hume & Co.).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Fisher 6-2 15-3
734 Elevation, 4 (C. Van Dusen).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Lynch 6-2 15-3
735 Billings, 4 (A. P. Lynch).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Buchanan 6-2 15-3
736 Lady Fashion, 6 (A. W. Enois).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Palms 6-2 15-3
737 Daniel, 4 (Dealy & Co.).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 Flannery 6-2 15-3
738 Daniel, 4 (Multimania St.).....100 1 2 3 2 4 5 21 17 L. Jackson 6-2 15-3

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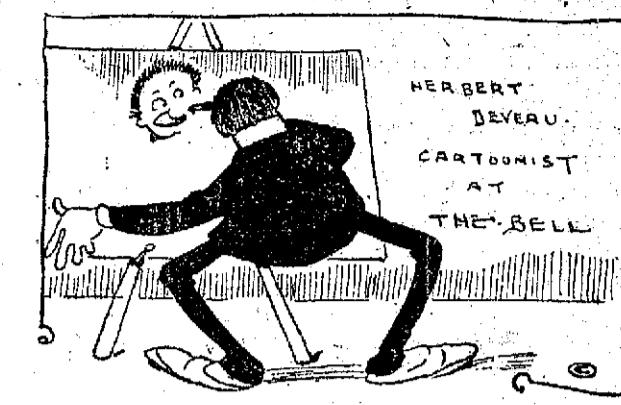
BETTY MARTIN FINDS SOME GOOD THINGS AT THE CHEAP PLAYHOUSES

"Refined Vaudeville" in Oakland, is strongly reminiscent of codfish, in that it is usually served "family style," with plenty of the style to boot. It's cheap, too! Five cents, ten or twenty, whichever you please to pay, and there you are; steeped to the chin in human interest.

There are five of these cheap amusement places in Oakland now, and one might go further and fare worse, seeing there's no Young Men's Christian Association in evidence.

One or two of these theaters depend for patronage chiefly upon an already established good reputation; others, more recent of date, rely upon other means to attract attention. For instance, at one theater an automatic piano makes passers-by stop to listen, and often enter; at another, an insistent drum-beat sounds upon the air; still a third relies upon the voice of a siren, who loudly extols the merits of the passing show. Two performances every afternoon, and two more in the evening, is the rule, although sometimes things happen continuously, as for instance, at one place where you pay your nickel, and enter, should you be a trifle late, into a place so dark that the usher has to take you by the arm and lead you gently but firmly to a seat. But this is one of the recent innovations in our community, and, if you get there on time, you're entitled to any seat you please to take while watching the moving pictures.

"I got there at the fifteen children's end, and looked on at "Mrs. Smith's Boarding School" of fledglings in girlish attire. They were preparing for the coming of the Professor, and resorting to the old-time tricks of filling the gas globes full of flour ready to fall upon his unsuspecting head—which it does promptly; follows the scene in the gymnasium, where the girls, lead by the old gentleman, drill, much after the fashion of Ger-



man soldiers; this is succeeded by the now thread-bare "new boarder," a dummy dressed to represent a young man who is being incontinently tossed from pillar to post prior to his discovery by Mrs. Smith and her solicitous assistant. Latter comes the joke on the elderly gentleman himself, when the girls surround his bedside disguised as grinning skeletons, scaring him half out of his wits. There are other illusions, too, besides that



which once listened to a somewhat similar recitation about "Ostler Joe." Mrs. James Brown Potter aroused comment for her daring in introducing such a subject to public attention, but in a ten-cent show I found no such taboo. The whole thing seemed very real here, and it was only natural to seek revenge. But thoughts of Nellie under the daisies were soon driven away by a short-skirted, rather prepossessing young woman who sang a refrain running something like this:

"If you think that you could love me,
Why don't you try, why don't you try?"

Some of her listeners looked as if they'd like to take the dare, especially when the purple-skirted one concluded her "turn" by a few well executed steps and a strictly refined family kick or two which placed her toes on a level with the top of her head, but beyond smiles of approval and a little applause, no notice was taken.

After her came another in green, assisted by a really clever youngster given to recitations and punning. A sample of his wit is this reply, made to a question in regard to thirst:



of the boarding school, but these are for children of larger growth. However, they're strictly harmless, and some of them very entertaining.

The other five-cent house was winding up with a shooting scene when I got there, though illustrated songs help to while away the time also. But quite the cream, judging from the audience, at least of a third cheap theater, was where a tall, lanky man with a semi-venerable appearance and a red nose, combined with a shabby genteel suit of clothes, was telling a "stranger" all about "Nellie," his little, innocent wayside flower, led astray by a bold bad man from the city. It was the old story of betrayal, desertion, and death, told and retold since this old earth has come into population—ever old yet ever new; to be repeated as often yet again. As for himself, when the stricken old gentleman was not engaged in drowning sorrow in the flowing bowl, he was on a dead hunt for the gay deceiver, and "if I meet him, 'stranger,' I'll shoot him like a dog," concluded the recitation. The people in the audience were in accord with "them there sentiments"—that was evident, for they applauded to the echo. Not in the least did the listeners resemble that now celebrated and half forgotten fashionable assemblage

"Why, lady, I've drunk so much alcohol that I'm afraid I'll go up in a blue flame."

But that remark met only with on this occasion to understand. But there is infinite variety in "refined vaudeville" as witness the "phenomenal high baritone," dressed in evening garb, with the addition of a silken American flag smoothly plastered against his immaculate manly shirt "boosom." The stars and stripes had about an equal vocalistic tussle with a girl he was going to leave behind:

"It's time dear, to part,
So good bye, sweetheart"

brought down the house.

But the very top crust of the afternoon was yet in store.

Briefly, the quartette holding the boards consisted of a supposed to be young lady of matronly form, her father a fossilized old doctor with a fondness for dissecting corpses; a young man, engaged to marry against paternal wishes, the aforementioned charmer, and, last but decided not least, a "gentle-



man of color" who keeps things lively. For instance, when the doctor bribes this important personage to perform a grave robbery, and presents him with a jute bag in which to bring home the corpse, he tells him that there has already been "fifty dead niggers in there"; at which this live specimen pokes his nose into the depths of the jute, withdraws it coyly, and exclaims "They've been dar—I kin smell nigger."

A little later another sample of keen perspicacity is furnished: This is when the intended victim—by the way, a live substitute in the person of the physician's son-in-law-to-be, is brought in. The good old doctor takes a glance at his head and exclaims,

"Wonderful, wonderful, mortification has not yet set in," at which our gentleman of color bends over the victim's "yams," takes a sniff and declares in a loud aside, "It's set in here all right."

And once again the audience is attuned to laughter.

BETTY MARTIN.

small favor compared to the applause evoked when he said that if he "got" five hundred dollars for one night's performance he'd buy Oakland a new City Hall." If you think that remark wasn't met with handclapping, you don't know your Oakland public, that's all.

Irish folk have an established reputation for being nimble-witted but I believe that Americans are equally entitled to the palm. It didn't take an instant for them to catch on to this query, put by the lady in green to the young tramp before her:

"Have you ever appeared before the public?"

"Oh yes, yes."

"What did you say?"

"Not guilty."

Almost before the words were out of the youngster's mouth the laugh of appreciation went round. Perhaps the joke was like the "four-flushing" of Emily that the Virginian talks about—only a limited number of people appreciate what he's getting at. It may take an intelligence of a certain order only to catch on to the "not guilty" proposition. Be that as it may, plenty there were



with long spirals of silver and grey embroidery worn by Lady Carrington, with an underdress of pink chiffon and a trimming of fine lace. The Countess' train was of black velvet, cut en manteau de Cour.

"The Hon. Mrs. Mackinnon sported a wonderful confection of yellow brocade mixed with envoi-de-nièl net, glittering with paste broderies and trimmed with Malines laces and adorned with the Mackinnon tartan and a profusion of diamonds and emeralds. Beside this gorgeous array

her daughter looked quite soberly clad in her pretty silver lace and embroidery, and white satin train draped with silk muslin. Another charming girl's toilette was worn by Miss Callander, an ivory crepe de chine with garnishments of silver broderies and fringes, and a white satin train with chiffon bordering. Miss Christopher's white mouseline de sole trimmed with snowdrops also looked nice, and the chiffon and tulip train, broderied with seed pearls, had a very soft and graceful effect."

town was effectively brightened by a train of cloth of silver, lined and trimmed with black lace, and a fine display of diamonds and emeralds. Adeline, Duchess of Bedford, was quite gay in a costume of Parma violet chiffon velvet trimmed with exquisite old rose point, and a train of white satin draped in choice Brussels point lace. The Duchess of Buccleuch's black

"The costume of the Marchioness of Blandford was of black and rose color deftly mingled. Her black net gown was worked with oxidized silver and shaded rose pink and draped over rose-colored silk, and her black velvet train was lined with rose chiffon and edged with tulle ruches of the same tint. Contrasting well with this toilette was the soft gray chiffon lined

with similar lace to edge it.

UNCLE SAM'S STAR WOMAN

ESTELLE REEL, THE HIGHEST SALARIED FEMININE EMPLOYEE OF THE GOVERNMENT. WHO SHE IS. WHAT SHE DOES, AND HOW SHE GOT HER JOB.

The best-paid woman in the service of the United States government got \$3000 a year and expenses.

Her name is Estelle Reel and she comes from Wyoming.

She is the Superintendent of Indian Schools, and her field of duty is wherever there is an Indian reservation.

From six to nine months of each year she is in the saddle on the plains, inspecting Indian schools.

Grown-up red men and women know her as the "Big White Squaw from Washington," and hundreds of Indian children know her as the soother of their sorrows and the settler of their disputes.

Miss Reel is a remarkable woman.

The Secretary of the Civil Service Commission calls her a "prodigy."

A few years ago she was a semi-invalid, seeking health in Wyoming. As soon as she could work she began to teach school, but she was not permitted to keep at it long. Women vote in Wyoming, and some Wyoming women with votes had other plans for the young woman whom they had come to know.

UP THE LADDER.

They said she should be the journal-clerk of the State Senate—and she was. Later, they said she should be Superintendent of Schools for Larimer county, and finally Superintendent of the State schools, both of which positions she filled.

It was at this time that the United States Government first took official notice of the fact that there was an extremely vigorous energetic woman

connected with the Wyoming schools. That was nine years ago. The Government at once set in operation the machinery that was necessary to separate Miss Reel from the service of Wyoming and connect her with the service of the nation. Thus she obtained her position without a pull and has held it by doing nothing but her work.

REASONS FOR SUCCESS.

Miss Reel's success among the Indians arises from two facts:

First, she understands the Indian nature.

Second, she likes Indian children.

Since everywhere love begets love, it naturally follows that the Indian children like Miss Reel; they look forward to her periodical visits to their respective schools, and whenever she comes, they turn the warm side of their hearts toward her. The little ones are, therefore, in receptive frame of mind for whatever Miss Reel has to offer in the way of educational suggestions.

More than that, the attitude of the children puts the Indian parents in a receptive frame of mind—an important consideration when the fact is assumed of forcing strange ideas upon a primitive people.

So tactful and diplomatic has Miss Reel been in this respect that the Indians—both children and adults—have come to follow her advice on school matters without question. And such confidence is not a little thing when the fact is considered that squaws have been known to steal their papooses from places of learning conducted by the pale-faces.

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When Miss Reel is not engaged in riding over the plains inspecting schools, she is in her office in Washington in the building occupied by the Indian Bureau. There she has a force of clerks under her whom she directs with the same precision and effectiveness with which she manages her schools.

Her official report to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs in 1906 covered forty closely printed pages, touching every branch of the service from spelling to "teaching agriculture in the class-room."

The fact that Miss Reel has attained such proficiency in the important work to which she has been assigned is in peculiar conflict with what has come to be the Government's attitude of extreme reserve—almost hostility—toward woman workers.

In many departments women are seldom if ever appointed to positions for which men can be obtained. In two Government bureaus women have never been employed. These are the Inter-State Commerce Commission and the office of the Commissioner-General of Immigration. It is not that women have ever failed in either of these departments; they have never been given a chance to fail—or to succeed.

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New York has a marrying parson. He is the Rev. Henry Marsh Warren. His home is at 45 West Ninety-fourth street. His record up to date is three marriages in one evening—the third one after midnight. He performed the last ceremony while clad in a bathrobe, and fifteen minutes later took up his sleep where he had left off.

Besides being a marrying parson, the Rev. Mr. Warren is a genius. It re-

quires a genius, in these days, to devise a new occupation, and Mr. Warren devised one. Being the son of a hotel proprietor, it occurred to him that at least one preacher in New York could be kept busy by acting as the chaplain of the hotels. He made the necessary arrangements with the proprietors, hung a sign in the lobby of every hotel—and has been busy ever since.

DAFFODILS

Surely the sun has spilled on ye its gold,
My gentle daffodils,
That from the windy hills
With maiden eyes, fearless and yet not bold,
Gaze at the world.

So fair ye are! The nun-like marguerite
Is not more bless'd than ye,
Whose stilly dreams must be
Of winged cloud, wild wind and singing sweet
Of wilder sea.

When fades the dusk, the brown moth, lingering,
Gives thee his parting kiss,
Because thy beauty is
The morning's envy, and the thrushes sing
Its praise at dawn.

—Howard V. Sutherland.

BILL AND COO.

"When my wife begins to coo—
"Well?"
"I know she's been contracting a bill."—Washington Herald.

OUT-DOOR SLEEP to MAKE BABIES STRONG



You who have been accustomed to keeping baby swathed in flannel and fur, sheltered from every bit of cold or breeze, sleeping in stuffy rooms where every window is tightly closed, want to take example from Joseph Probst, Jr., and Mrs. Probst, says the New York World.

Their two babies, one sixteen months old and the other four months, sleep out at night to make them strong and well, no matter how cold it is. None of your old-fashioned ideas for Mr. and Mrs. Probst—that the night air is poisonous or that cold air in the lungs is fatal. And the best proof of their contention is that in all our big city of New York there are no two healthier, fatter, more smiling babies than these self-same little Probsts.

The Probsts live in a pretty house in Ward street, near Jamaica avenue, Richmond Hill, borough of Queens. There really have been some gossipy neighbors who have talked very feelingly about the little Probst children surely catching pneumonia and dying. Instead, they have grown fat on this open-air treatment; they haven't had a single one of all the ills that most children suffer in this capricious climate of ours.

PLenty of FRESH AIR.

"Plenty of fresh, cold air; that's all!" Mrs. Probst will tell you; for all this open-air treatment for youngsters she learned when she was a trained nurse at the Babies' Hospital here in Manhattan.

She was Miss Helen Berger then. There the open-air treatment has been

the saying of many a little life. And when, as Mrs. Probst, she had babies, too—boy and girl—she made up her mind to bring them up in precisely the same fashion.

Pneumonia? Fiddlesticks!

This was the stumbling block for Mr. Probst. He believed in fresh air all right, he told his wife, but how about it with the thermometer below freezing? Mrs. Probst merely smiled in a superior way and told him she loved the children just as much as he did, and to let the baby come in she rushed to feel of its rosy cheeks, its ears and nose.

"I didn't sleep very much the first night," he now admits, "because I was so worried about the children. In the morning I hurried down to the piazza. The little girl was crowding and cooling with all the enjoyment, and health possible after a night's sound and refreshing sleep; the little boy was lively as a cricket and as warm as toast."

THEY THRIVE ON IT.

"They told me the youngsters would get pneumonia," he adds, "but I don't think so now. During the severe cold spell which has swept the city for the last three weeks the little ones have slept out of doors just the same, and they thrive on it. Our neighbors are watching the experiment now and some of them are thinking of trying it themselves on their children."

Now, the Probsts are not pioneers in this sleeping-out-of-doors business. For a decade it has been used with great success in curing tuberculosis. At some of the sanitariums in the Adirondacks many a desperate case has been saved by forcing the patient to stay in the open air twenty-four hours a day, no matter how cold it was.

And Dr. George Wells Fitz, of Harvard University, and Mrs. Fitz, a college woman, have given it the approval of science in their combined work, "Problems of Babyhood," published by Henry Holt & Co., New York. As they write:

"One of the most important recent changes in medical practice is due to the recognition of the stimulative and curative power of fresh, cold air. The modern treatment of consumption has proved most brilliantly that such an air has the power of so far increasing the vigor and resistance of even the more sluggish tissues of the body as to enable them to combat and overcome disease already established in the system, when all other curative measures have failed."

"If the one essential of bodily warmth is jealousy insured, the timid mother may rest assured of the folly of her fears. Her poisoned and suffocated hot-house plant of a child will blossom into rugged vigor under the life-giving stimulus of pure air. After a three

THE GENTLE GHOST.

Ah, Lovel if tonight, in the long dark hours—
The desert that leads from dusk to dawn—
You came, through the tumult of winds and showers,
To the lonely house and the shadowy lawn,
In the hour of release for your gentle ghost,
In the hour when we hope and believe the most—
Though your feet, as they always were, be light,
I should hear you come through the storm tonight.

A clear space breaks in the windy sky,
And cruelly bright the moon looks through!
The tempest ends in its deepest sigh;
The fields are silver with frosty dew.
Now, now, when the day is a sleeping child,
And the tortured world again takes breath,
Come out of your Eden undefied,
With a gift in your hand of life or death!

—Edward Sydney Tylée.

TWO HATS PER ANNUM AT \$1.98!

AND A MISSOURI LEGISLATOR WANTED TO MAKE IT THE LAW OF THE STATE, TOO—ONE OF MANY FREAK BILLS INTRODUCED.

Of all the freak bills, not excepting the tax on bachelors, that were introduced at the last session of the Missouri Legislature, the bill to prevent spendthrifts from wasting inherited money and the bill to restrict each woman to two \$1.98 hats a year were easily the most amazing.

The anti-spendthrift bill was introduced by Representative Houston. It will doubtless be news to the rest of the world that the gilded youth of Missouri are so prone to make money-bonfires that a general conflagration is threatened, but such is the import of a measure introduced by a resident of the state—and he ought to know.

The other remarkable bill—the anti-millinery bill, if it may be so called—was introduced by Robert A. Norfleet, the Republican representative from Morgan County. Mr. Norfleet was 27 years old on the fifth day of last January. What has influenced him to the point where he would gladly wreak revenge on all of womankind in the sovereign state of Missouri the records sayeth not.

THIS STRANGE BILL

But this much is known—he introduced the bill, and here it is:

"Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri as follows:

"Section 1.—That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any woman, either married or single, to purchase for herself or to receive or in any way procure for her use and benefit more than

two hats of any kind, make, or quality during any one calendar year.

"Section 2.—That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any woman, either married or single, to wear upon her any feather, plumage, or other part of any bird, except turkey or other feathers taken from such fowls that have been slaughtered for food; that not more than two yards of ribbon or one and one-half yards of lace shall be worn upon any hat at the same time, nor shall any gold or silver buckles or other ornaments be worn upon such hat, nor shall such hat exceed in cost the sum of one dollar and ninety-eight cents: Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to wedding hats or hats worn by brides, in which event such hat shall not exceed in cost two dollars and ninety-eight cents.

MUSTN'T SELL THEM.

"Section 3.—It shall be unlawful for any milliner or other person engaged in like business to sell to any woman, whether married or single, any hat at a greater cost than one dollar and ninety-eight cents, and such milliner shall keep a record wherein shall be recorded a full description of every hat sold by her, the person to whom such hat was sold, the price charged therefor, as well as the date when such sale was made, which record shall be open to public inspection at all times.

"Section 4.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not less than thirty days, or by a fine of not less than fifty dollars, or

by both such fine and imprisonment, for each and every offense.

"Section 5.—There being no law regulating the subject-matter covered by this act, and as Easter is approaching, an emergency is created within the meaning of the constitution; wherefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage."

WHY HE DID IT.

And this is why he did it, as related in his own words:

"Of course, you know that I came from the country, where variegated headgear, as worn by the women of the cities, has no place in our simple economy. This bill does not prevent the wearing of sunflowers, heliotropes, corn flowers and other pastoral beauties, and for this reason naturally I am not in favor of discouraging their use.

"It's a crime in Missouri to kill birds for their plumage, and my people are in sympathy with that sentiment. But in so far as this bill seeks to regulate the cost of these wonderful creations it in no wise restricts them in the wearing of the becoming and modest hats which their fancy might dictate.

"I naturally expect there will be some dissatisfaction in the cities of the State over this particular bill, but realizing the immense popularity of the simple-life propaganda I cannot see why its provisions should not be upheld by the baser metal—man."

Representative Norfleet is married, which renders still more nearly unexplainable his courage in introducing the bill. It is barely possible that this two-hats-per-annum measure may not pass.

COIFFURES IN PARIS

All Latest Fashions

Headaddresses is the theme of THE TRIBUNE'S recently engaged Paris correspondent, who engagingly writes:

"Coiffures have again become decidedly voluminous, attributable in no small degree to the endless talk of the theater hats and small coiffures for the evening. High-necked dresses will never look the least bit younger or more dressy with small coiffures, and with low dresses they are a perfect abomination. Modistes and coiffeurs have solved the difficulty by enlarging the head with any number ofcurls and marteaux. Little curls placed on each side of the chignon form, with puffed-out bandeaux, a Louis Seize coiffure very nearly as large as those of the days of Marie Antoinette, and they are certainly far more becoming than a plain way of dressing the hair.

"On the night of a recent dress rehearsal there was much to glean in the way of quaint headaddresses that have advantageously taken the place of the wide-brimmed structures hitherto worn. Every style was adopted, from the Renaissance to the Restoration, and some were exceedingly becoming; notably a Henri II coiffure, composed of three silver dragon-flies placed in the form of a fan in the center of the forehead. A small Charles IX toque of black velvet, worn slightly tilted on one side, with a couple of white maraboutos, was exceedingly effective. In the dress circle there were Louis XIII knots by the score, some in pearls, others in gold cord and spangles. Venetian beguins and plaques were favored by the fairest of women, and pearl and diamond fillets or nets bordered with tiny pink roses, evidently inspired by the coiffures of the Middle Ages.

"A very large headdress was the Panache Josephine, made of three uncured ostrich feathers powdered with diamond dust, a gold bow set on a tiny cloud of white tulie fastening them. A very dressy headress was composed of a great bunch of gold antenae, fastened by a bow of white satin ribbon edged with diamond dewdrops.

"The Restoration coiffure is the latest craze, and there were many curious specimens at this dress rehearsal. Some were solely made of shaded birds encircling the hair, terminating at the back with the indispensable 'bird of paradise'; others where the head of the bird stood erect in front, with the sweeping wings and tail as cache-pot; yet a third variety in scarlet, pink, orange, mauve, or cream paradise feathers reclining on one side only above a twist of velvet of the same shade. For very young women nothing can be prettier than the Greuze coiffure, the hair apparently loosely arranged. The great point to be gained is that the foundation be solid, so that the little curls may, with all security, be loosely fastened.

"This is the up-to-date box for the open-air baby, as Dr. Fritz describes it:

"The box itself should have, if possible, a minimum length of three feet, a width of sixteen to eighteen inches, and a height on the side away from the window of eight inches, although in the case of a baby a much smaller box suffices. It should be put stoutly together, and should be painted some inconspicuous color, with a dark, dull finish inside to avoid reflection of light."

If a boy goes to school until he is 21 and then gets married the chances are that he will never be able to realize that all men are born free and equal.

GOOD TEA DEPENDS UPON USING THE PROPER WATER

How Housewife Can Prevent Annoyances

"I've never been able to make good tea since I came here. I fancy it must be because the water's so hard," said the hostess, according to the Chicago Journal.

"My dear, you're making exactly the same mistake that I did when I was first married," answered the visitor. "At home we'd always used the same blend as long as I could remember, and when I married I determined to go on with it. And I was so disappointed with the result. At last, Jack said: 'Do you know, Marjorie, I don't believe that tea you use is the right kind for the water in this place.'"

"But isn't all water the same as far as making tea is concerned?"

SCIENTIFIC ADVICE.

"Well, I always thought so before;

but, acting on Jack's advice, I went round to the store and asked the manager what blend of tea he recommended. And he told me, among other things, that when a big wholesale firm is asked to supply tea to sell in a new district it is quite a usual thing for them to write for a sample of the water with which it will be made to be sent to them to try; because hard water requires one blend, soft water another, chalky water another, and so on."

"And was the new plan a success?"

"Quite. I've moved twice since then and changed my blend of tea each time, with excellent results."

"Well, it would never have occurred to me that it could make any difference."

"Nor to me if Jack hadn't suggested it. Even husbands are useful sometimes, aren't they?" said the visitor, laughing.

SOCIETY WOMAN RAISES SQUABS FOR HER FRIENDS

She Is Adept at Cultivating Edible Birds

NEW YORK, April 6.—Miss Helen Van Cortlandt de Peyster has a genuinely novel fad—squabs. It began with pigeon fancying, at first restricted to the adult birds, but quickly developed to the more practical side of the question.

Miss de Peyster, in her country home, has made herself an expert on squabs. Not only can she appreciate them thoroughly when served, but she knows all the secrets necessary to preparing them for the market. She has

large pigeon houses in which the funny little birds are hatched by scores.

Everybody who has raised squabs knows how easy it is—up to a certain point. Miss de Peyster has passed that point triumphantly and the outfit of her pigeon houses is in continuous demand among her friends.

Of course, she never sells any, but sends them as gifts, and a brace or two of squabs such as she raises invariably can count on a warm welcome from the heart and range of the recipient.

THE COMING MAN.

A pair of very chubby legs,

Encased in scarlet hose;

A pair of chubby boots,

With rather doubtful toes;

A little kit, a little coat,

Cut as a mother can—

And lo! before us stands in state

The future's coming man.

Those hands—those little busy hands—

So sticky, small and brown;

Those hands whose only mission seems

To pull all order down—

Who knows what hidden strength may be

Hidden within their clasp,

Though now it's but a taffy stick

In sturdy hold they grasp.

Ah, blessings on those little hands,

Whose work is yet undone!

And blessings on those little feet

Whose race is yet unrun!

And blessings on the little brain

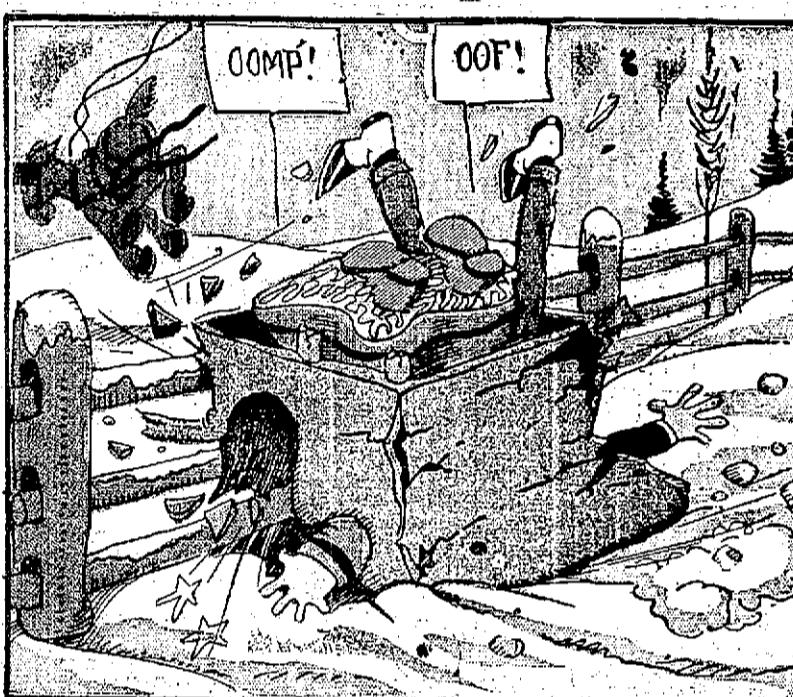
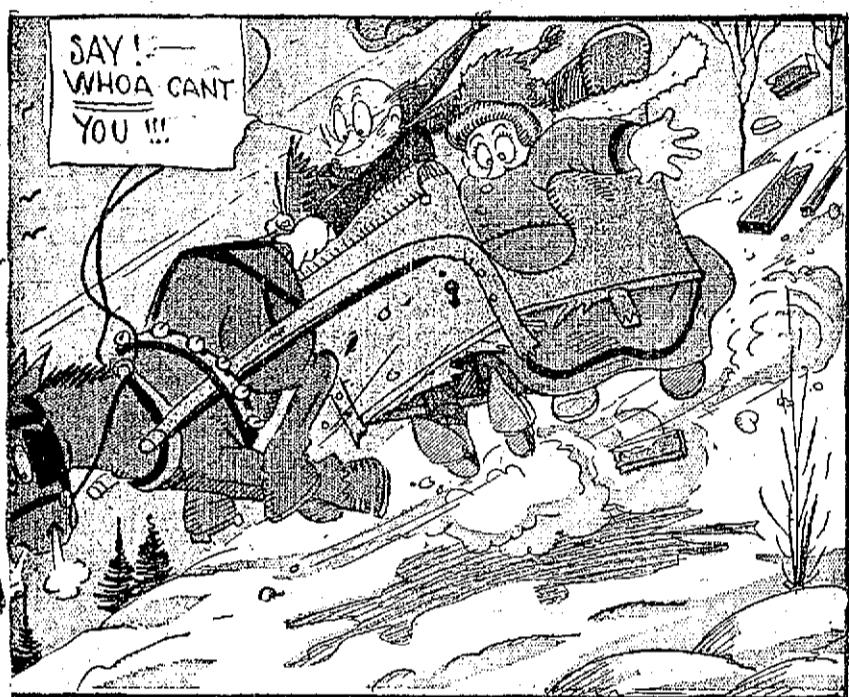
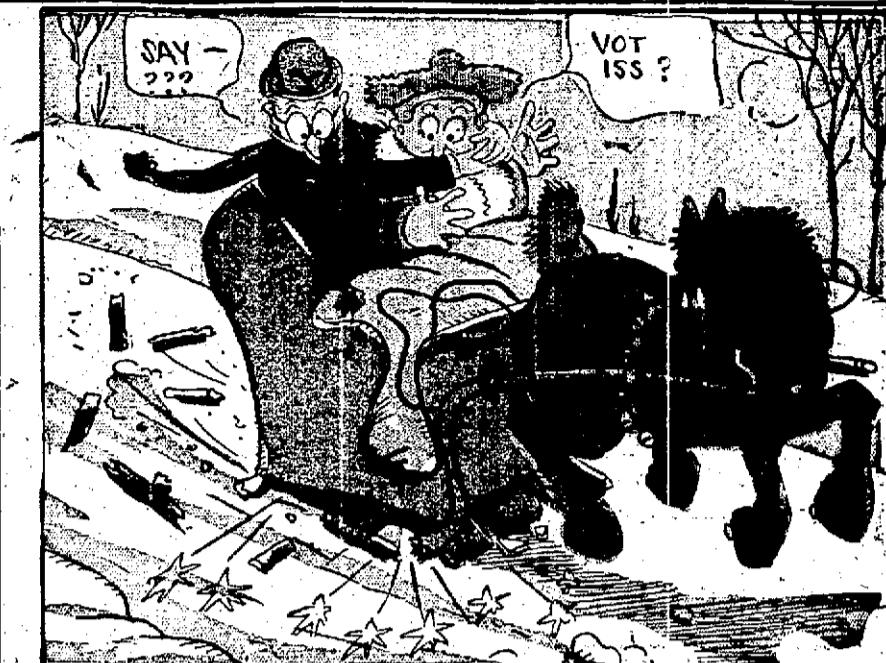
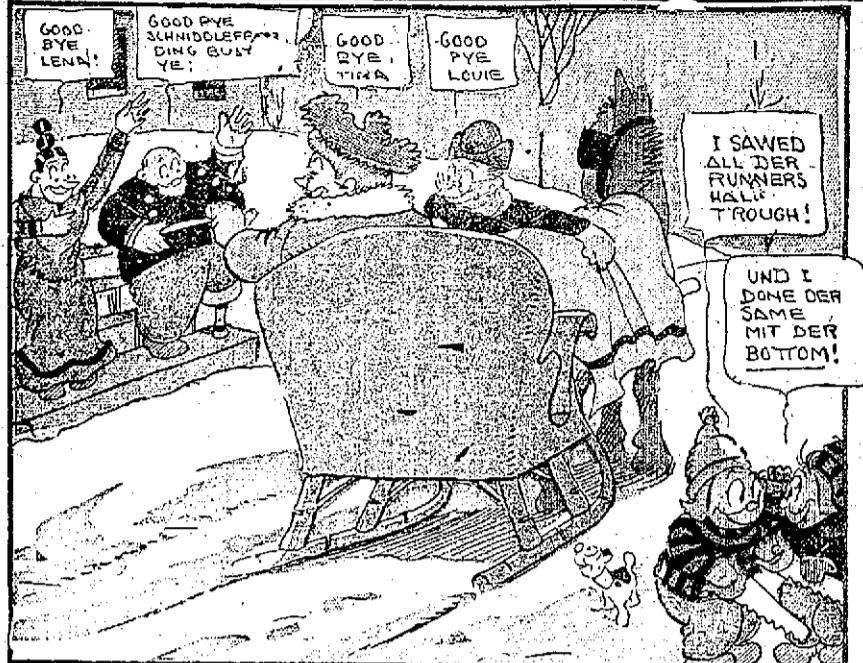
That has not learned to plan!

Whatever the future holds in store,

God bless the coming man.

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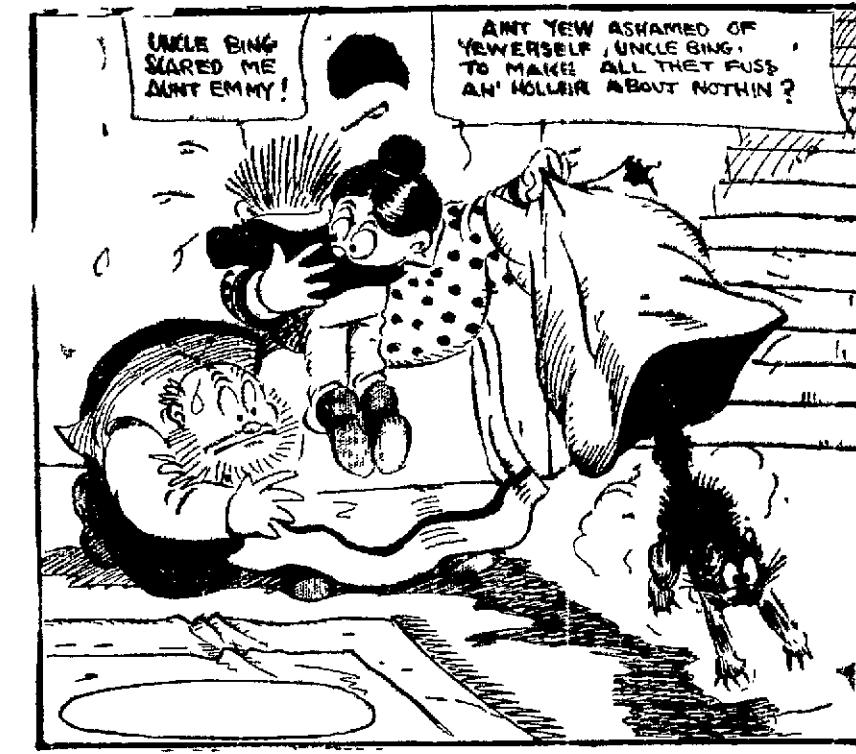
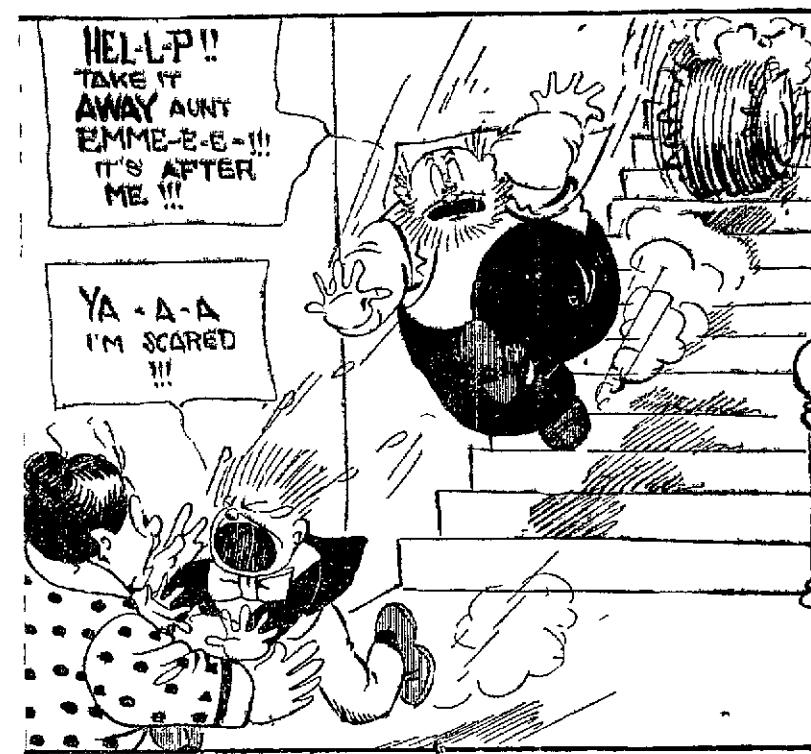
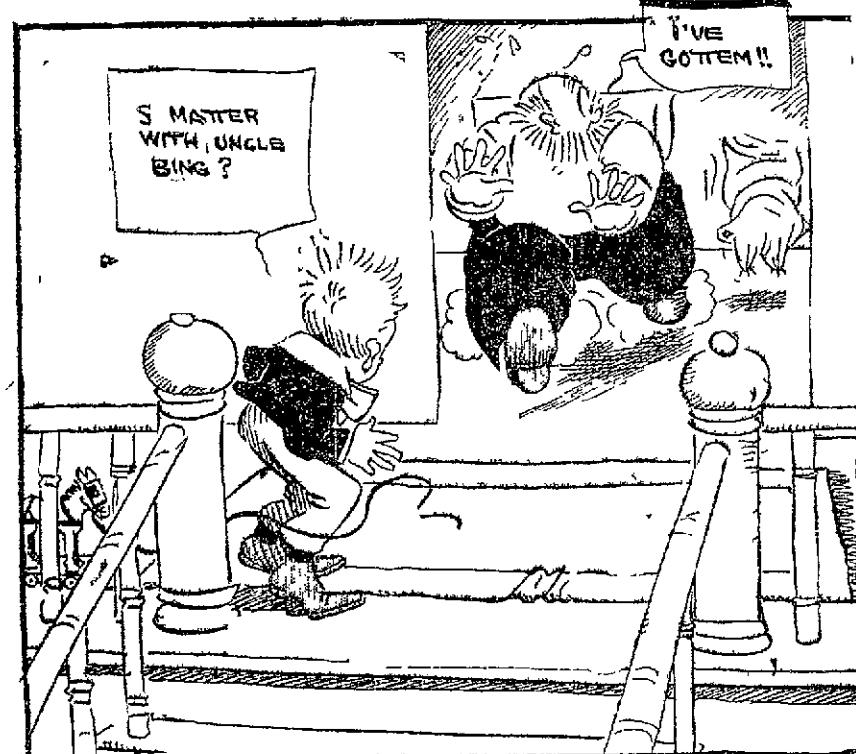
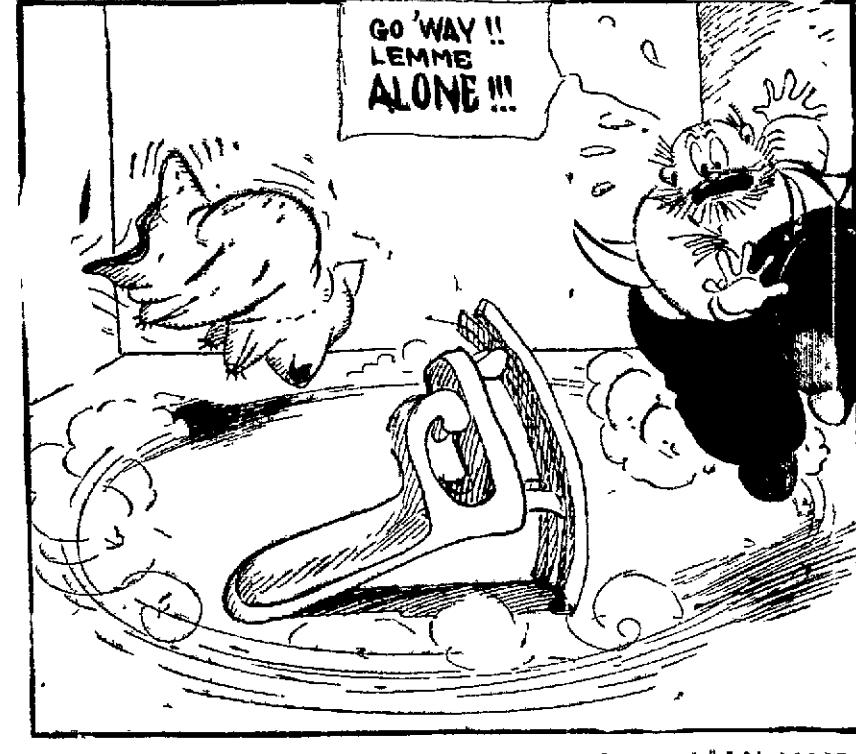
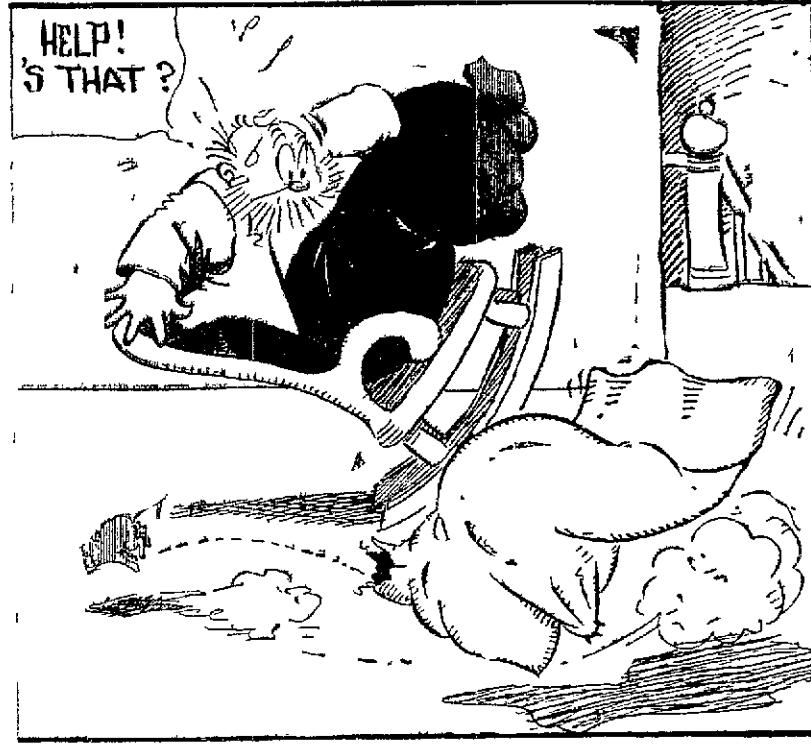
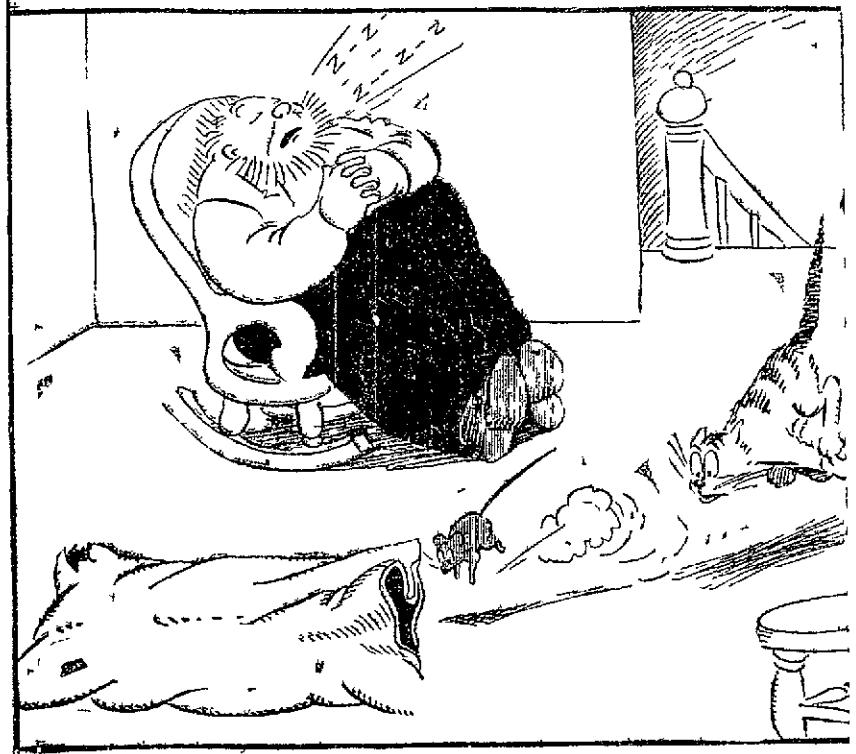
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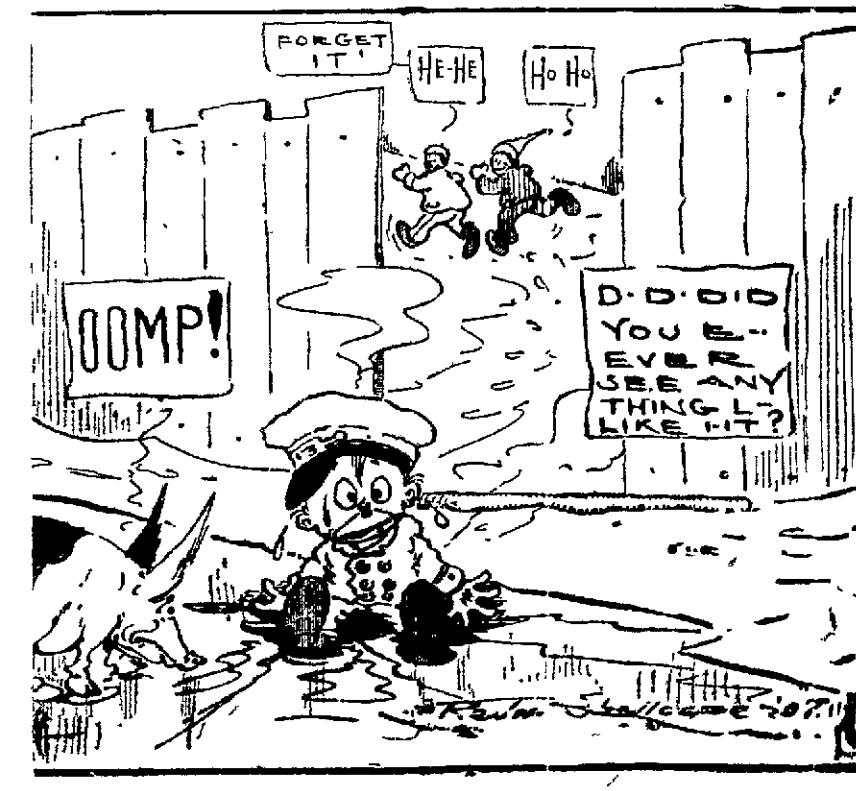
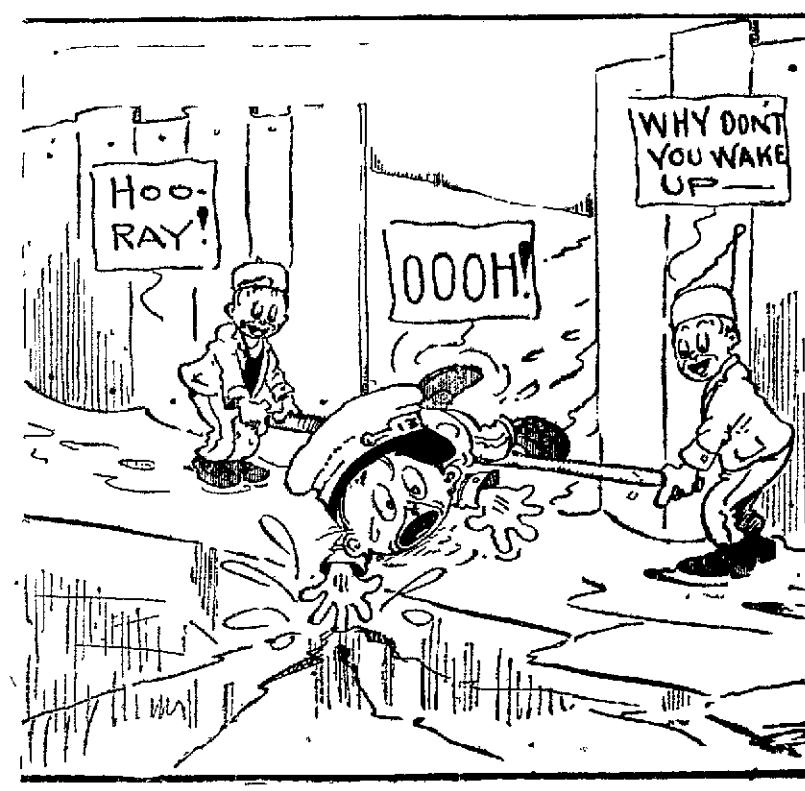
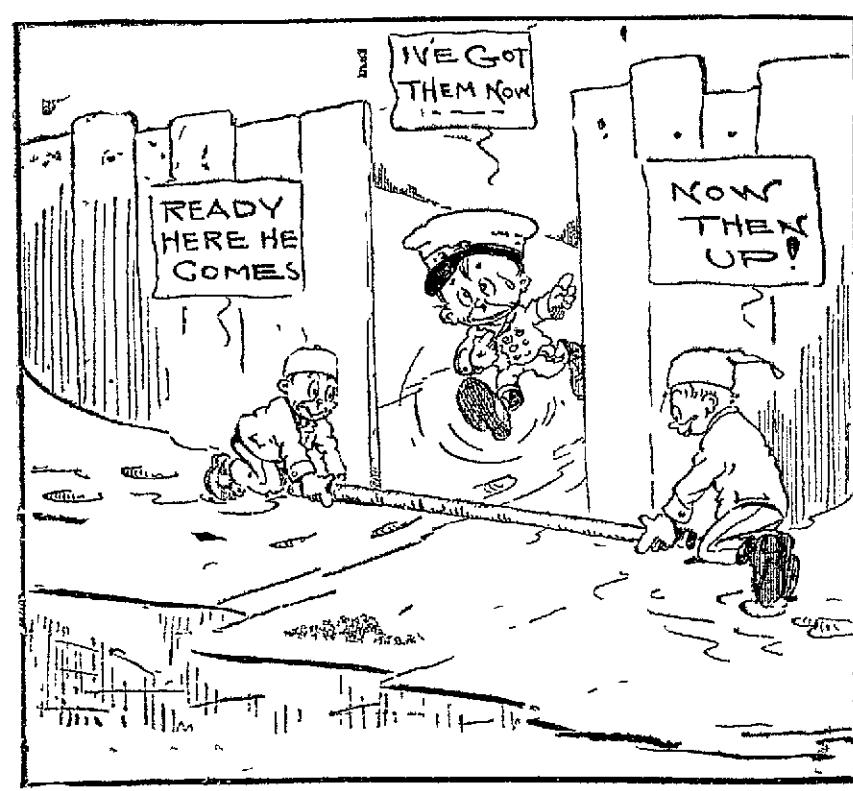
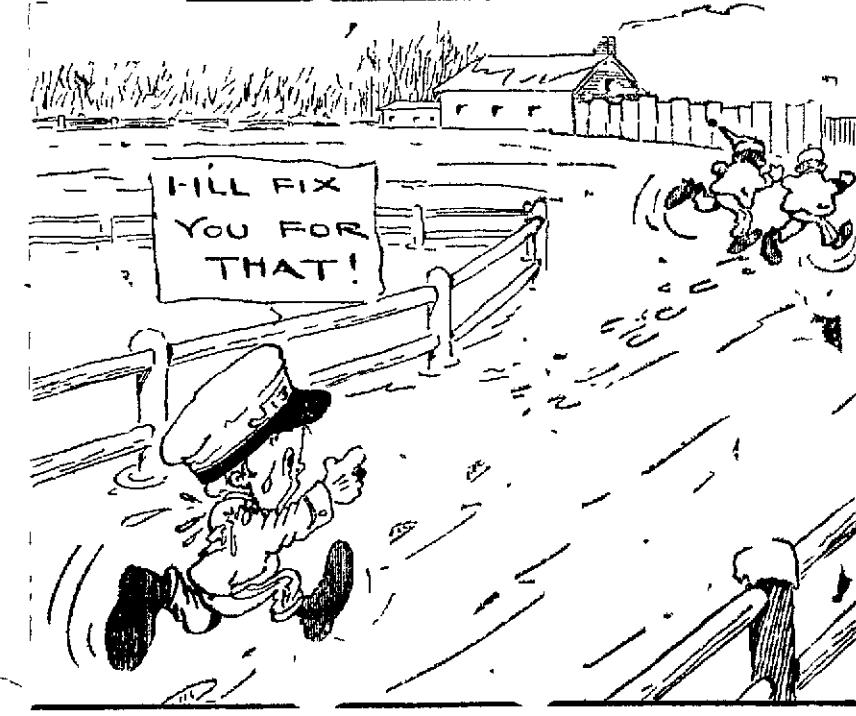
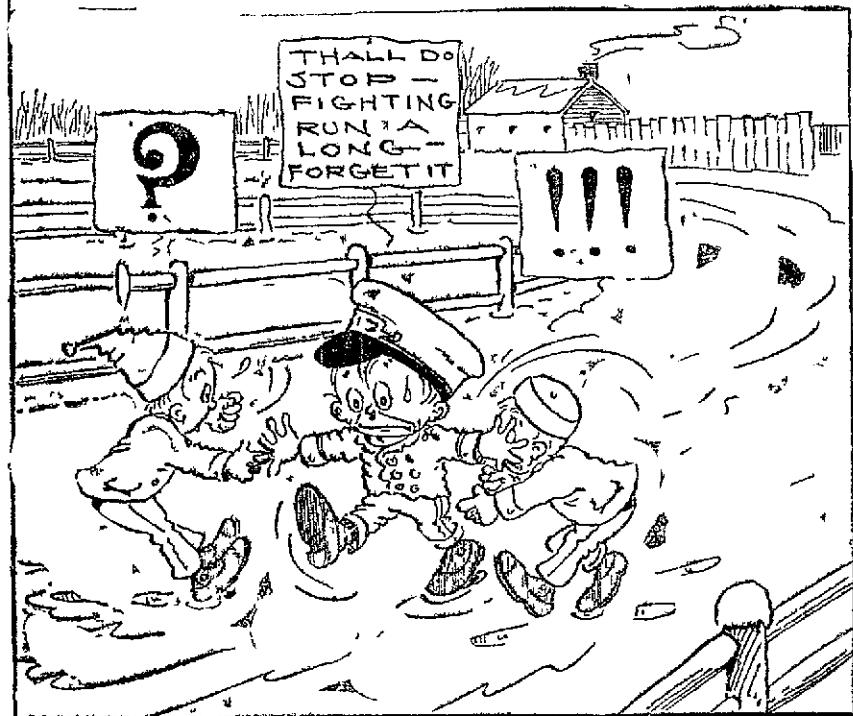
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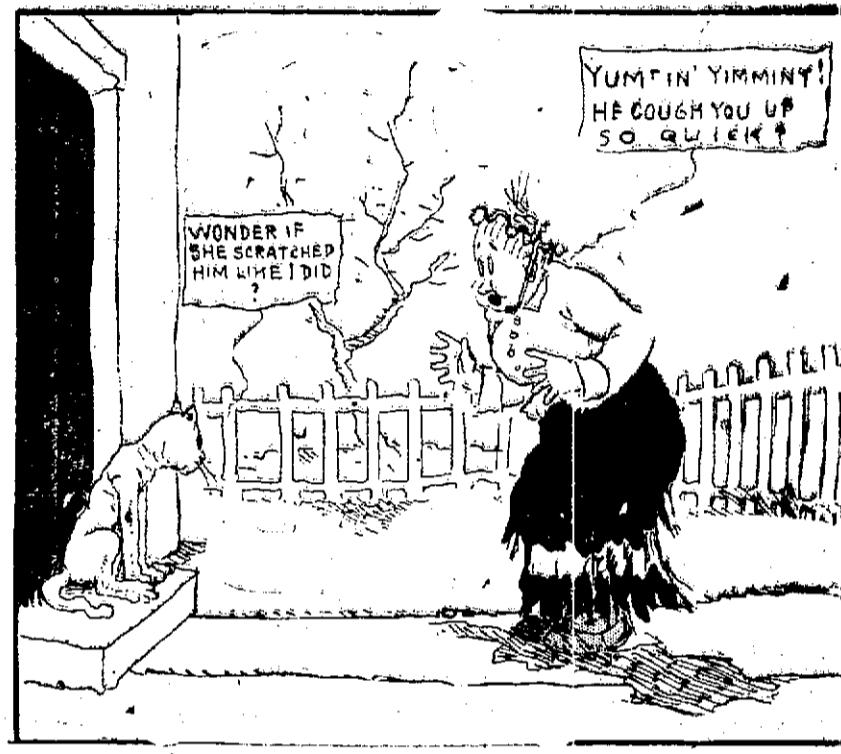
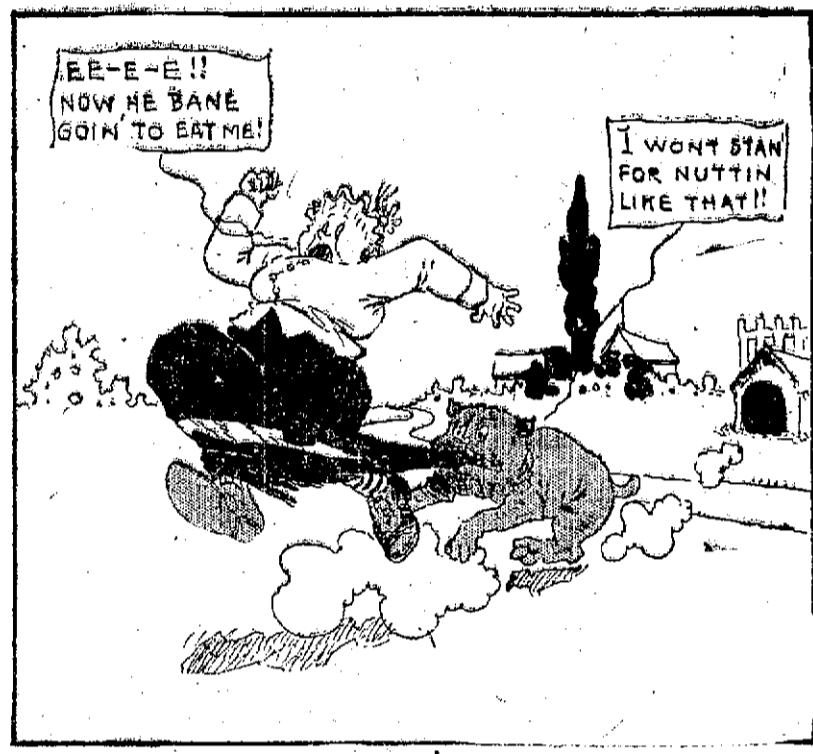
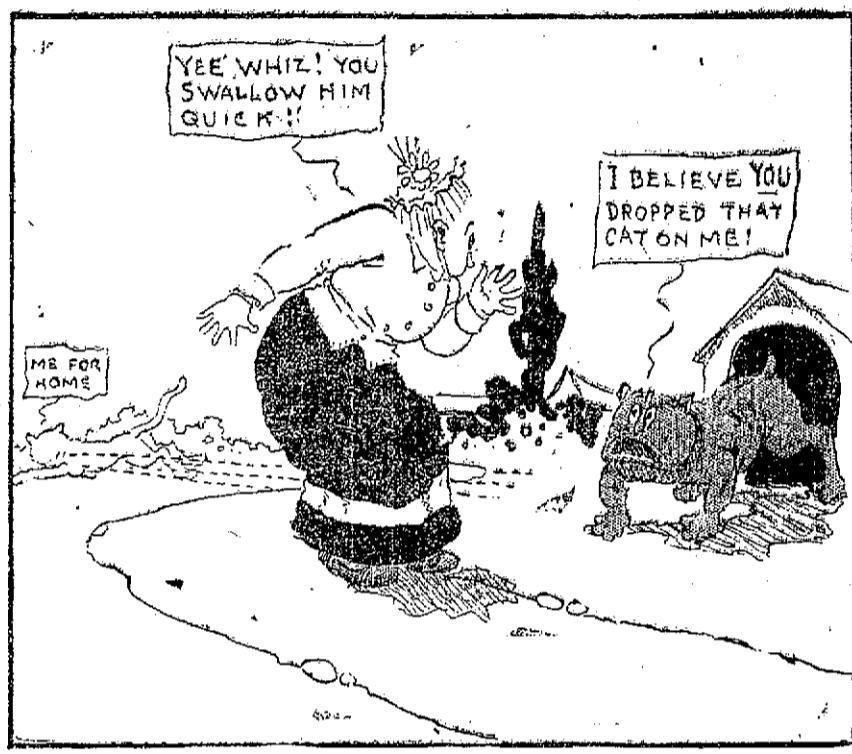
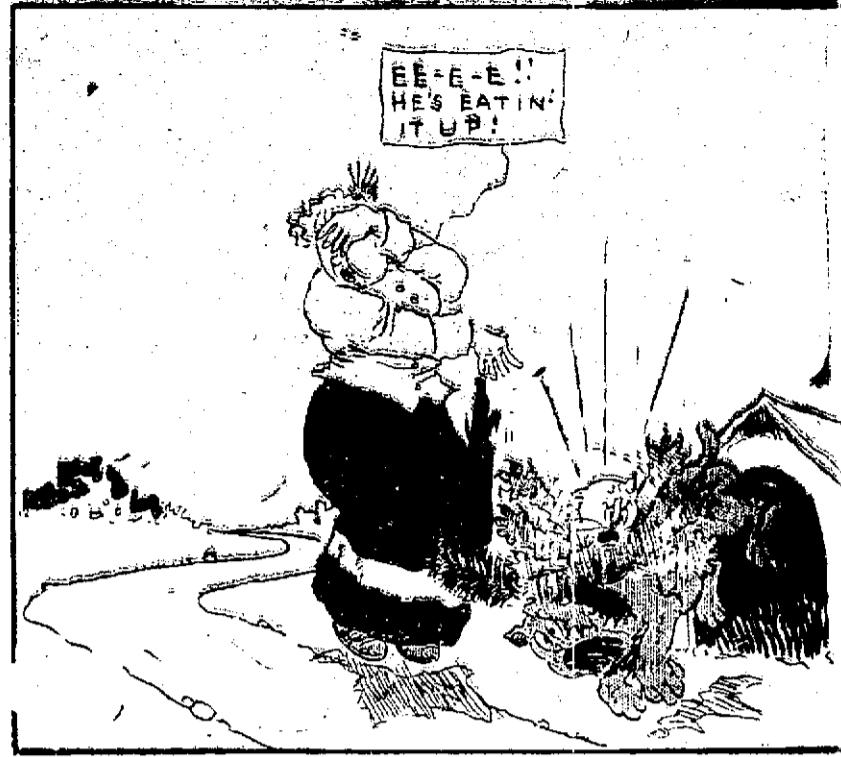
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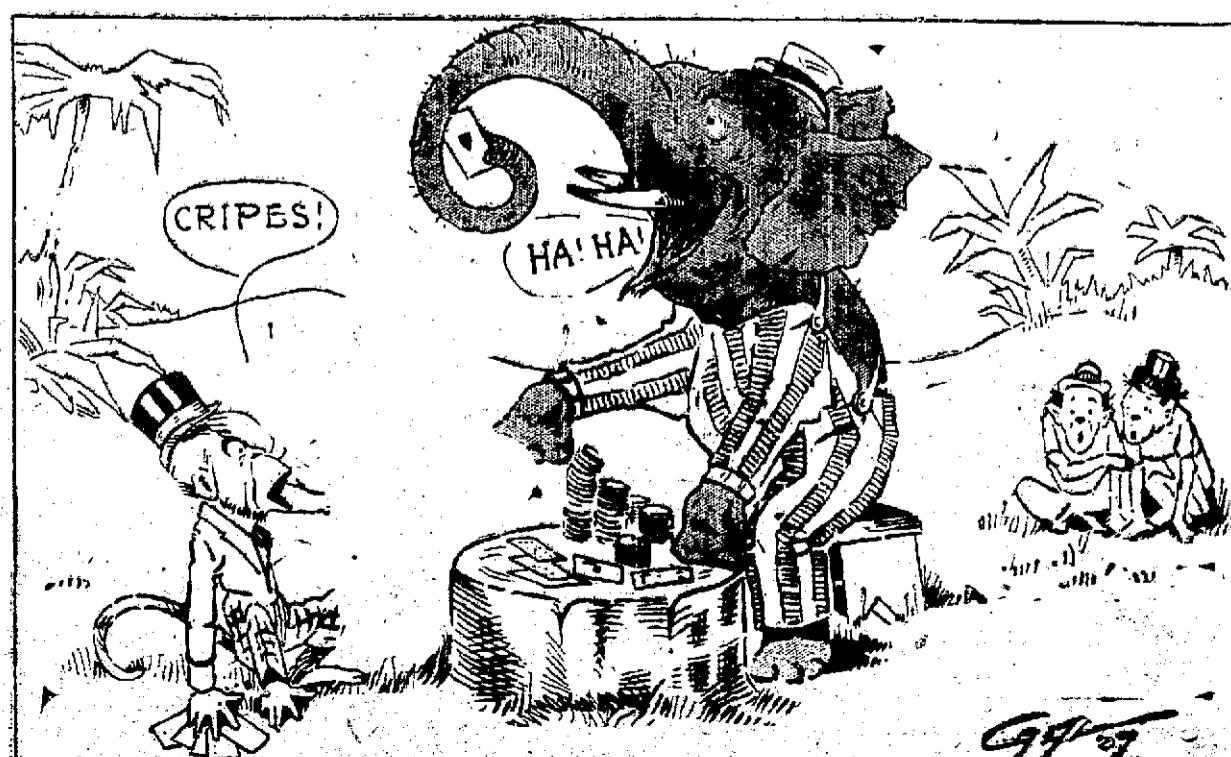
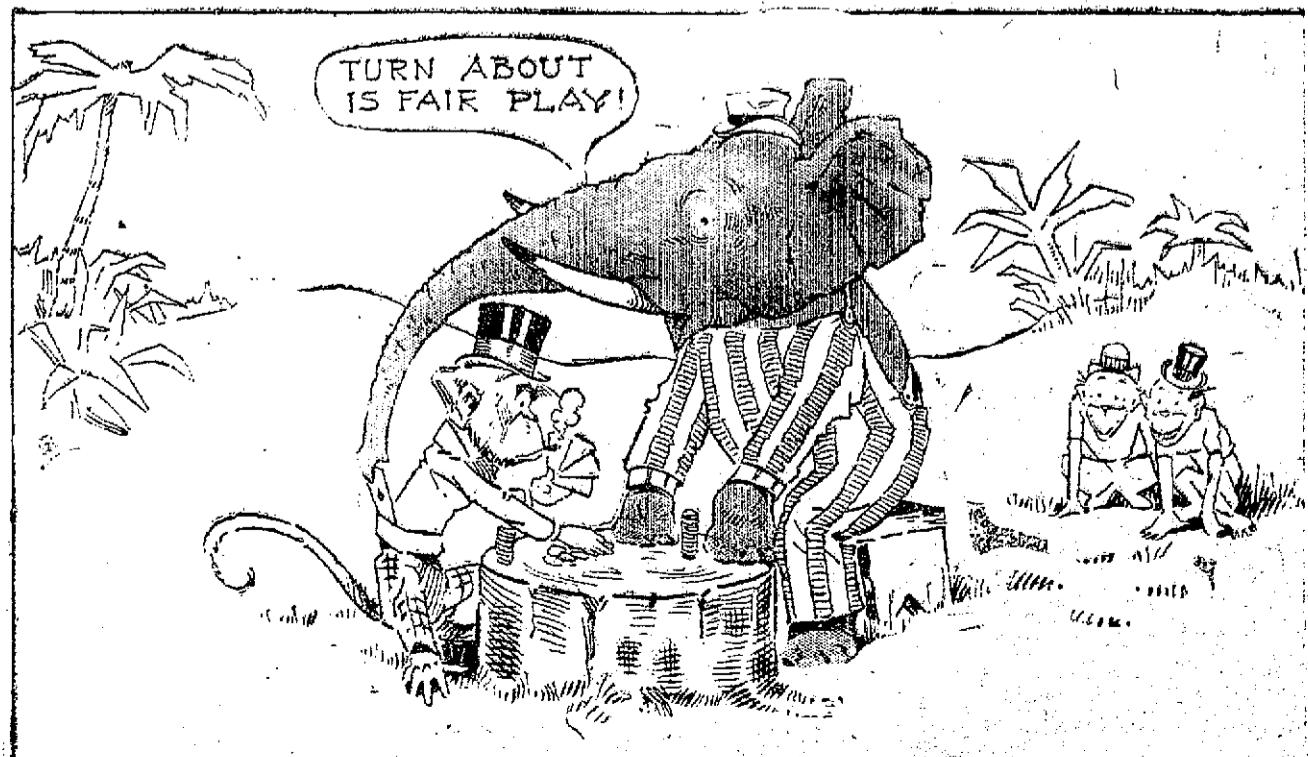
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Caught at His OWN Games



BIG SCALPER AFTER A WHITE BEARD



Big Scalper on a Corner stood
And watched the Passersby



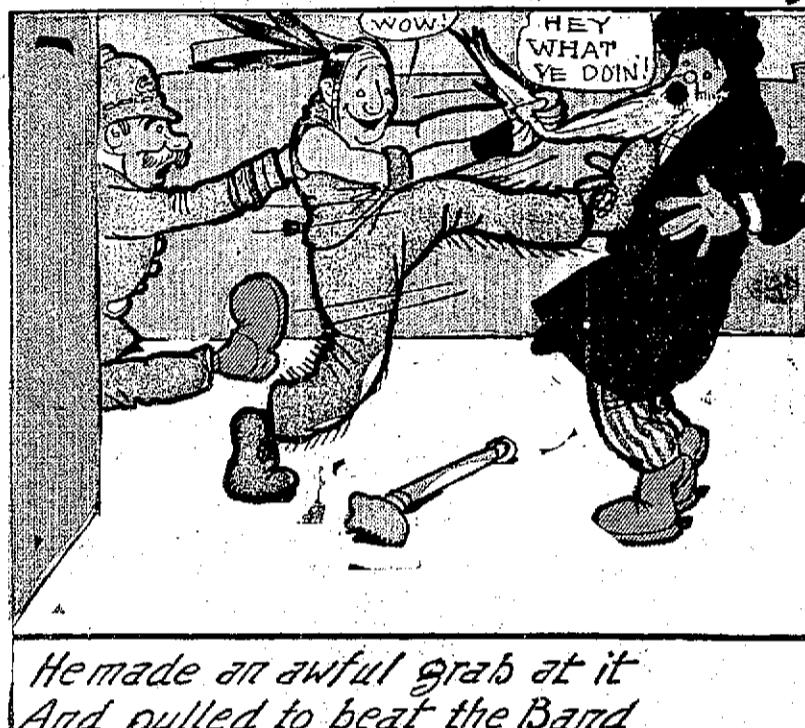
In search of some big Whiskered Man
But no one did he spy



He threw His Eye most Everywhere
Still not a one would do



When all at once to His surprise
A White Beard came in View



He made an awful grab at it
And pulled to beat the Band



Once more he's stung the Beard was false
And came off in His Hand



Employer - On the Way you will pass a \$2000.
Messenger - Yes, Sir - Employer - Well pass it.



Strang - My Friend do you drink? - Blobbs - That's my business, Sir. - But haven't you any other business



How's Your Sir a gettin along at College? - Wal, as well as I kin Figger out, He's Half-back in the Football team, an' way-back in His Studies, by Gol!



Lady - How long is it before we git into Harbor? - Steward - About an hour and a half - Lady - Oh, I shall die before then - Steward - But you'll be all right again when you've been on shore ten minutes



Wife - Where's that New Necktie I bought you? - He - Oh! that! Why, you see, I met a poor Dumb Man, beggin', and I gave it to him to attract attention with

NEW PLAYS BOOKED FOR OAKLAND THEATERS



SCENE IN "SALOME"



MISS IZETTA JEWEL AS "SALOME" MACDONOUGH THEATER

MISS GENEVIEVE FINLAY AS "NANOYA"
"THE CINGALEE"

Augustin Daly's Musical Company identical with the now-famous production at the Colonial Theater. The Herod, Wilfrid Roger, whose brilliant characterization of the degenerate monarch set the San Francisco critics vying with one another in his praise, will again be seen in the role, and Miss Izetta Jewel, whose Salome received hardly less commendation, will be also seen in her original role of the Judean princess. Benjamin McQuarrie will essay the part of John, the Baptist, and the difficult character will no doubt receive adequate handling at the hands of this artistic player. The play will run for one week only.

IDORA PARK.

This afternoon and evening will see the last performances of that delightful little opera "Nanoy" at Idora Park. The usual open air band concert will be given at 7 o'clock in front of the theater and of course the big skating rink will be crowded all day.

Tomorrow night will open the summer season at the Park and a sumptuous production of that extremely funny, clever and pretty opera, "Wangs" will be the offering. It will be the biggest thing yet attempted and a number of additions have been made to the three, the management finally deciding to send the production on tour. It

will be seen for the first time outside of San Francisco and New York in Oakland next week, when the tragedy will undoubtedly duplicate the sensation created across the bay.

The production will be practically

WILFRID ROGER AS
"SALOME" MACDONOUGH THEATER

"THE CINGALEE" AT THE MACDONOUGH THEATER

MELVILLE STEWART
AS HARRY VEREKER
"THE CINGALEE"

with a new act that promises to even further mystify Oaklanders.

The Edwin T. Emory company, which recently filled a successful six weeks' engagement at the Bell, will return and present the roaring comedy, "The Lunatic." It is a new production on this coast, but is said to be very bright and enjoyable.

BELL THEATER.

Manager Cohn of the Bell Theater has arranged for the return the coming week of three vaudeville features which have heretofore proved popular with Oakland theatergoers. First of all, the mysterious Albin, who scored a marked success at the Bell five months ago, will again appear at the local playhouse. He returns

Vernie R. McPherson, until recently illustrated song singer at the Bell, will return and sing the illustrated song "Someone Thinks of Someone." McPherson has an excellent baritone voice and won many friends while recently at the local playhouse.

Another good act billed for the coming week is the appearance of Oretta, the little Arabian dancer, and claiming the title of champion whirler of the world. Two reels of motion pictures will also be shown.

EIGHTH-STREET THEATER.

There are some great newcomers at this theater next week, commencing Monday, April 8. Among them is Oscar Starr, a young man, wonderfully developed in physical culture, who claims that he can raise more weight with one of his hands than any other man can lift with both hands. Direct from the East comes Mile Flora St. Ives, a musical phenomena whose instruments are

spreading electrical effects. Mae Liddy, known as the champion step dancer of the world, will also make her first appearance in Oakland at this theater. The world will also be seen in another of his comedies in combination with Miss Jeanette Ormsby. The stock company has re-arranged the program to accommodate the new comediette, which will be found in the Eighth-street Theater with his other house. You will hear the nestor of dcorkepers, Sol Berliner, exclaiming: "Just in time for the last show."

REVEALING NIGHT.

When thru the breaking cloud-rack the round moon swings out into the cavern of the night; When infinite Heavens are glassed in the lagoon; And all the world grows mystical and white; When stillness listens on the silvery slopes, And all the forest hearkens, and the leaves hang in a silent passion of delight— Oh then it is the heart of man believes— Believes that Love and Beauty are supreme, That sometime God will touch our glimmering hopes, And life will grow as wonderous as the dream.

Edwin Markham in the *Nautilus*.